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# *R. I. Woman Confesses $30,000 Theft*

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# COLLINS' BODY TO BE LEFT IN CAVE; FUNERAL SERVICES AT ENTRANCE

## Today

**Collins Dead, Better So**
**Our Feeble Imagination**
**A Great Nation's Danger**
**Every Man's Business**

***Current Events***

**—By Arthur Brisbane—**

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FLOYD COLLINS' suffering is over. The rescue party found him dead in the cave trap. How long he has been dead doctors will tell, approximately.

Better dead than living, in any case, if only one or two days of the intense suffering were escaped.

THIS MAN'S DEATH illustrates the power, and the weakness, of human imagination. A hundred men risked their lives to save his. Doctors went to his rescue by flying machine, but could do nothing. The entire nation followed closely the tragic story.

Imagination showed the man lying in the low cave, his leg crushed by the 14,000-pound rock, existing day after day, for nearly two weeks, in horrible agony and discomfort.

IT WAS POSSIBLE to imagine clearly that dreadful situation. And the nation sympathized. Any Legislature would gladly have voted $100,000 to save Collins.

The same nation, through its Legislatures, refuses to pass the Child Labor amendment that would free tens of thousands of children from years of slow torment.

The feeble public imagination cannot see clearly those children in the mills.

BRIG.-GEN. MITCHELL, a brave man, staking his brigadier's star, as Cyrus H. K. Curtis has well said, on his fight for the national safety, deserves the thanks of this nation, and will have them.

If he has found no supporters high up in the Army or Navy, more shame to his superior officers that are controlled by battleship building interests, or have idled away their time in the public service, learning nothing.

DESK MEN that get extra flying pay without ever flying fail to support General Mitchell quite naturally. He flies and risks his neck in our inferior machines constantly. That puzzles them. But men that flew in the war are back of him, 2,000 of them. And whatever other "heads" of the Army and Navy may do, it is quite certain that President Coolidge, the real head of the Army and Navy, will see that Mitchell is properly treated.

MEN OF EVERY branch of service in the late war saw with their own eyes the power of aircraft. Everyone of them should write to the President, if only ten lines, urging an adequate air defence. President Coolidge will be glad to hear from any ex-soldier or sailor, or any other citizen.

EVERY AMERICAN should read the testimony before the Congressional committee yesterday by General Amos A. Fries, chief of the Army Chemical Warfare Service.

**"There is no real answer to gas attacks except airplanes with which to stop the enemy's onslaught, and gas him in turn."**

GENERAL FRIES further testified that gas warfare with the new chemicals would be fifty times as deadly as it was in the last war.

And as for anti-aircraft guns, smoke curtains and sprinkled smoke, combined with persistent gases, and rained down from the clouds, would make anti-aircraft artillery worthless. The marksmen would be firing at a sky filled with smoke, while the fliers rained down their explosives and deadly gases.

THE PEOPLE'S BUSINESS is to realize what the next war will mean, and see to it that the nation is prepared for defense. Nice old maids in the Navy quote Captain Mahan's book on sea power and his state-

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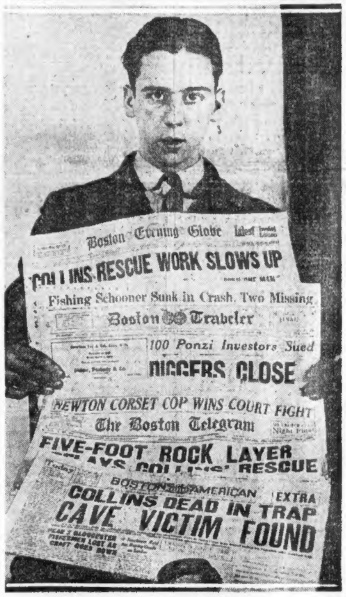
## HOW AMERICAN WON 'SCOOP' ON COLLINS



Above photo of headlines carried in local papers yesterday afternoon shows how the Boston Evening American decisively "beat" the town on one of the biggest news events of the day—the finding of Floyd Collins' body in Sand Cave, Kentucky. The Boston Evening American was on the street with the news from 8 to 40 minutes ahead of its nearest rivals. In scoring this "scoop" the American was simply living up to its motto of printing the big news FIRST! Moral is: Read the Boston Evening American and get the news while it is News!

**"FLASH-FLOYD COLLINS DEAD.**

At exactly 3:45 p. m. this cry rang through the Boston Evening American news room.

Three minutes later copies of this newspaper were on the street, the first to inform the local public of the tragic climax of an attempted rescue that roused the sympathy of the civilized world.

In downtown Boston a detailed story of the discovery of the body of the Kentucky cave explorer, was presented to its readers by the Bos-

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NEW DISCOVERY
PREMATURE
WHITE HAIR RESTORED TO
NATURAL COLOR—Not a Hair Dye
Free Examination By Appointment
DR. RUDOLPH MERTIN
HAIR SPECIALIST
458 Wash. St., Boston. Beach 2235

## CANADA EXTENDS BAN ON FOWL FROM STATES

Washington, Feb. 17.—Prohibition of importation into Canada of live chickens, turkeys and geese, without a certificate of inspection by the Buereau of Animal Industry has been extended to apply to Indiana, the Department of Commerce announced today.

The restriction already applies to New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Connecticut.

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Fr. John's Medicine Is Pure Food.
No Drugs—Safe treatment for colds.
—Advt.

## GIRL CASHIER SAYS SHE STOLE $30,000 FROM BANK IN R. I.

Kingston, R. I., Feb. 17.—In her cell at the Washington County jail today, Miss Maude E. Tefft confessed to theft of $30,000 from the Kingston Trust Company, where she was employed in the dual capacity of secretary and treasurer.

The confession was made to agents of the Pinkerton detective agency, who declared the young woman implicated four stock salesmen, three of whom operated out of Boston and one from New York.

The detectives stated the four stock salesmen would be brought here to aid in the investigation and the recovery, if possible, of at least part of the embezzled funds.

The confession, they said, followed a grilling lasting several hours.

Attorney General Charles P. Sisson announced this noon that the

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## LOU TELLEGEN HAS A BRIDE; SHE'S NO. 3

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 17 (I.N.S.). —Lou Tellegen, stage and film star, divorced husband of Geraldine Farrar of grand opera fame, was expected today to reveal the identity of his third wife, married some time ago in a secret ceremony.

The actor, known as the "Perfect Lover" while the star of the Odeon Theatre in Paris, was married to Countess Jean de Broncken, and from that union he has a daughter, now attending a Paris conservatory.

In 1916 he married Miss Farrar. They were divorced in November, 1923.

While positive information was revealed by Tellegen's friends of his third marriage, efforts to identify the bride were fruitless.

## PAWTUCKET 'PRINCE' JAILED FOR SWINDLE

Neutchatel, Switzerland, Feb. 17 (I.N.S.)—The motion picture actor who used the name "White Elk" and said he was an Indian prince was sentenced today for swindling. He was identified, police said, as Edgar Arthur Laplante of Pawtucket, R. I.

He was arrested following the accusation. He obtained large sums of money from the daughter of a noble family in Italy under promise of marriage. His arrest was caused, police said, by his wife learning of the romance with the Italian girl.

## CARDINAL'S PILGRIMS 800 MILES ON WAY

**Aboard Steamship Ohio** (via radio), Feb. 17.—With pleasant weather prevailing, the steamship Ohio, with Cardinal O'Connell and his 585 pilgrims to Rome aboard, reached a point this afternoon approximately 800 miles east of the Massachusetts coast.

Lifting of the fog and haze that for the first day's sailing followed the pilgrims added to the popularity of the deck today. Many of the travelers unlimbered deck chairs. The sea continues calm.

Rt. Rev. Mgr. Joseph McGlinchey planned to deliver the first of a series of lectures on ports of call this afternoon. His subject was to be "Funchal."

## U. S. RECOGNITION OF SOVIET IMPROBABLE

Washington, Feb. 17.—President Coolidge sees no indications pointing to Russian recognition by the American government.

Departure from the cabinet on March 4 of Secretary Hughes, who has been strongly opposed to American recognition of Russia, is not expected by the President to forecast a change of policy toward the Soviet.

That statement of policy was made today at the White House to set at rest widespread reports of an impending change.

## *Shaw Will Talk for Cash and Cash Only*

London, Feb. 17.—Returning from his sunbathing vacation on the Madeira Islands, George Bernard Shaw today emphatically informed interviewers that if they wanted his views on anything the newspapers would have to pay heavily for them.

"If you want my views on the benefit of tangoing, the price is 500 pounds," he said.

Asked about the prospects of British drama, Shaw said:—

"That would make a fine subject for a masterly article. The price is about 500 pounds. Good morning."

## POLICEMAN CRUSHED BETWEEN VEHICLES

Traffic Officer Murtagh McAvoy of police division 20 was crushed between a motor truck and a pleasure vehicle while on duty on Bedford street today. He was removed to the Haymarket Relief Station where surgeons discovered he received severe internal injuries. His name is on the danger list. Officer McAvoy lives at No. 33 Alpine street, Dorchester.

A heavy truck backed toward the officer while his gaze was turned in another direction and before he could leap to safety, he was caught and pinned between the two machines.

## CRY "DOWN WITH DAWES" AT FUNERAL OF MINERS

Dortmund, Germany, Feb. 17 (I.N.S.)—Riotous scenes marked the funeral today of victims of Germany's worst mine disaster and the name of Dawes was used by Bolsheviks to inflame the mourners. Reds appeared in the lon geortege and carried banners reading "Down With Dawes." Many Reds were arrested amid yelling and fighting.

## MAYOR AND WIFE, WITH DAUGHTER, OFF TO SOUTH

MBayor and Mrs. Curley and their daughter Mary left the Back Bay Station today on the 1 o'clock train for New York, on the first leg of their trip to visit Pinehurst, N. C. A small party of friends met at the station to see them off. President James T. Moriarty of the City Council became acting Mayor and signed several bonds and official papers. This was not new for him, as he had performed the duties during Mayor Peters' regime.

## WRITE A LIMERICK, IT IS PROFITABLE

The poetic flood-gates are open!

There's no stopping or stemming the rush of words, words, words.

Words happy, words snappy, words funny, words loony, words moony, words hilarious, words uproarious, words.

All eddying around the greatest contest attraction ever. Twenty-five dollars for a single line of poetry.

Folks just bursting with pent-up spondees, trochees and anapests have found a means of happy release. And a chance to cash in on this poetic effervescence.

Whatever are your talents for poetising, versifying or rhyming, the Boston American offers to pay you for them.

Every day a cash award of $25 for the best "last line" to any one of the published incompleted limericks. And to the next fifteen contestants in line a prize of $1 each.

You are not asked to write a com-

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## FOUL PLAY PROBE DIRECTED; IDENTITY SETTLED BY 7 MEN

**Cave City, Ky., Feb. 17 (A.P.).—The body of Floyd Collins will be left in his natural tomb. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the mouth of the shaft which was dug in vain. His father, Lee Collins, has consented to the arrangement.**

**Cave City, Ky., Feb. 17 (A.P.).—A telegram from Governor Fields, directing that a detailed examination of Floyd Collins' body be made, said: "Have disinterested doctors make a thorough examination of the body for all evidences of foul play, including poison."**

**Seven men, who descended into the Sand Cave shaft and down to where Floyd Collins was found dead in his natural prison, reported to T. C. Turner, acting coroner of Barren County, today that each man in their party had identified Collins and would swear he was dead. The men all live in the Cave City district.**

Treacherous conditions in the old cave passage made so

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## KING GEORGE IN BED; IS VICTIM OF GRIP

London, Feb. 17 (A.P.).—A bulletin issued at Buckingham Palace this afternoon on the condition of King George, who was announced yesterday to be suffering from a feverish cold, said the King had an attack of bronchitis, due to influenza. Despite a restless night, his general condition is satisfactory.

The bulletin was signed by Lord Dawson, physician extraordinary to the King, Sir Milsom Rees and Sir Frederick Stanley Hewett, who invariably have a consultation when the King's condition is anything but normal. The fact that Queen Mary has decided to attend the concert at Albert Hall this evening to hear Paderewski, is taken to indicate there is nothing seriously the matter with His Majesty.

## ONE DEAD, 1 DYING; VICTIMS OF GAS

Worcester, Feb. 17.—Anne Carroll, 22, is dead and her sister Catherine, 20, is in a critical condition as a result of an illuminating gas leak in their two-room apartment here today. They were found this morning when other tenants in the house smelled gas.

Patrick Murnane, proprietor of the house, who was alleged to have told the police he did the gas piping himself, is being questioned by city inspectors, who claim that no permit for doing the work was applied for, as is required by law.

## Scratches

NEW ORLEANS SCRATCHES.

**1—Lubeck, Wahkeena, Melbourne, Lucky Strike, Taudlane, Goldfield, Kinsman, Last One.**

**2—Marie Baker, Silene, Ellta Allen, Dolly Bay.**

**3—Romp, Wolphus.**

**4—Lady Belle.**

**5—Vulnad, David Harum, Wapita, Judge Breuer, Rapid Day, Just, Westwood, Double Tip, Yorick, Bean King, Stone Age, Blackolia.**

**6—St. Martin's, Taylor Bay, Anahrisa, Sea Court, Slanderer, The Leopard, Alluring.**

**7—Sam Lorch, Delsan, The Fenian, Uncle Abe.**

**Weather cloudy; track heavy.**

AT MIAMI.

**1—See It Through, Fairbreak, Water Girl.**

**2—Felicitous, Dr. MacMillan, Attorney Muir, Nellie Gough, Ticacey.**

**3—Channel, Darkwood.**

**6—Rigel.**

**7—Belpre.**

## Kelloggs Home-Bound

London, Feb. 17.—American Ambassador and Mrs. Kellogg left this afternoon for Southampton where they will board the Berengaria for the United States.

# MRS. COTE HELD SECRET TRYSTS WITH SLAYER OF HER HUSBAND

## STAGED QUARREL WITH MATE OVER PURCHASE OF AUTO

By BERT FORD

Portland, Me., Feb. 17.—Trysts held in Portland by Mrs. Lottie Freeman Cote of Gorham and Charles Henry Fielding, married man of Portland, who confessed that he killed Alphonse Cote, second husband of Mrs. Cote, under her orders, were testified to today at the trial of the woman, who is accused of complicity in the homicide.

Assistant District Attorney Franz U. Burkette testified that Mrs. Cote admitted in her talks with the authorities that she met Fielding in Portland and went to shows with him.

She met him at his mother's home, it was testified, and would leave her four children to keep the trysts.

The State claims Mrs. Cote plotted her husband's murder and took advantage of Fielding's infatuation for her to induce him to kill the man.

First mention of Mrs. Cote's first husband, William Sanborn, who mysteriously disappeared in 1900, was made at the trial today in Judge Sanborn's session of Cumberland Superior Court by Attorney Burkette.

**FIRST HUSBAND VANISHED.**

"In the course of the interview which County Attorney Ralph M. Ingalls had with Mrs. Cote in Sheriff Graham's office," said Burkett, "Mrs. Cote told much about her life.

"There was considerable talk at the interview about her first husband who disappeared in 1910 and has never been heard from since.

"Mrs. Cote told us that her first husband had forged her name to notes, that they had financial difficulties and that he went away.

"She told us she had financiel troubles with Alphonse Cote, her second husband, also. She said a wealthy aunt had died and that she was to fall heir to a considerable sum.

"She said Cote had looked at new automobiles at Gorham fair and had ordered one. She said the salesman had called on her, as she handled the money, and she told the salesman they would not buy the car. She said that angered her husband.

**LIED IN FIRST STORY.**

"Mrs. Cote told Mr. Ingalls that she had lied in her early statement to save her son, Ralph. She said Cote had probably gone to Canada after the dispute over the new automobile. She told us of offering a reward to find Cote after he vanished.

"As a result of our talk with Fielding we took him out to the Cote farm but failed to find the body. That night we took the son, Ralph, out and he went right to the spot where the body was buried.

Deputy Sheriff Eugene Norton of Gorham, resuming his testimony when court opened, denied that County Attorney Ingalls had ordered him from his office because of his manner in interrogating Mrs. Cote.

"I heard Mrs. Cote say, 'I have lied and want to tell the truth,'" he testified. "'I lied to save my son Ralph. If you had lived with Cote you wouldn't blame me.'"

Edgar Burnham, Gorham farmer, neighbor of the Cotes, was present when the officials dug up Cote's body from the plowed field.

He also said that the son, Ralph, led the officials "straight to the body."

Dr. John R. Hamel of Portland, medical examiner for Cumberland County, testified that Cote was shot through the back of the head at close range.

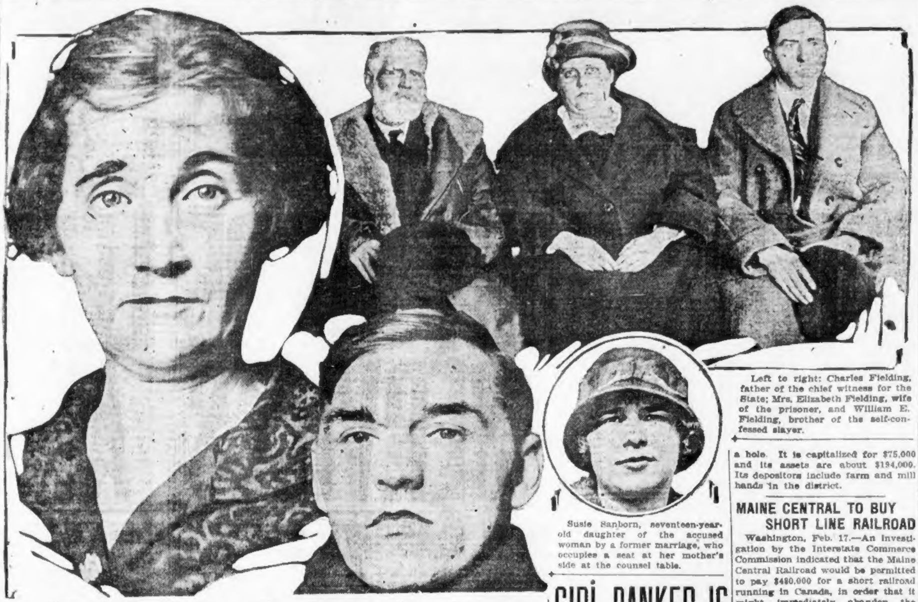
**CALLED HUSBAND "MAD."**

Dr. Eugene H. Drake, city physician of Portland, corroborated Medical Examiner Hamel. Fred E. Blake, a neighbor of the Cotes, testified that while papering a room in the Cote home after Cote's disappearance, Mrs. Cote told him her husband had gone away mad, saying he intended to earn his own money and keep it.

Henry Cote, o fBiddeford, brother of the slain man, testified that the latter and Fielding had a row at the farm on July 6 last and Cote ordered Fielding away. He said Mrs. Cote protested and Fielding didn't go.

Eugene Cote, of Biddeford, another brother, admitted that when Alphonse was ill with the flu Mrs. Cote aide dthe witness in nursing her husband back to health.

## LEADING FIGURES IN TRIAL OF MRS. LOTTIE COTE



(Upper left) well-to-do widow of Alphonse Cote, former Gorham, Me., farmer, charged with conspiring with Charles H. Fielding, her suitor, to murder her husband because she was tired of him. Fielding (lower left) has pleaded guilty and will testify for the State against the accused woman.

Left to right: Charles Fielding, father of the chief witness for the State; Mrs. Elizabeth Fielding, wife of the prisoner, and William E. Fielding, brother of the self-confessed slayer.

Susie Sanborn, seventeen-year-old daughter of the accused woman by a former marriage, who occupies a seat at her mother's side at the counsel table.

## BEVERLY FIRE DRIVES MANY TO STREET

Beverly, Feb. 17.—Fire early today drove several families, clad in night clothing, from the business and apartment block at Nos. 276-278 Rantoul street.

Patrolman William F. Terry discovered the blaze and raced through the building arousing the sleeping occupants. The interior of the section of the building at No. 276 Rantoul street was destroyed.

The family of Rubin Sampson, owner of the block and proprietor of the hardware store in which the fire started, was among those driven out. Damage is estimated at $15,000.

## "EXTENSION" OF STATE STREET IS DEFERRED

The question of extending the name State street to Court street, Tremont Row and Cambridge street has been deferred at least until next year. Chairman John H. L. Noyes of the Board of Street Commissioners announced today.

This gives a temporary victory to bankers, brokers, lawyers and business houses on State street, who opposed the proposition that State street be continued along the above thoroughfares.

## CHAMBER SEEKS TO END GRAIN TRADING ROOM

The Chamber of Commerce would be relieved of the obligation to furnish facilities for the trading in grain in its new building under a bill advocated b yClaude L. Allen at a hearing today before the Legislative Committee on mercantile Affairs.

"For years a trading room was maintained by the chamber in its old building," Allen stated. "About the time the new building was constructed the Boston Grain and Flour Exchange took over the trading facilities in the old Exchange building."

## MITCHELL HITS ONCE MORE AT WAR DEPT.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Brigadier General Mitchell, assistant army air chief and central figure in the aircraft controversy, repeated once more before the House military committee today the statements which have been questioned by Secretary Weeks.

General Mitchell reiterated that the War Department had muzzled junior officers, and added that the department seeme dto regard the question of national defense as secondary to its purpose of keeping the air service from becoming a "paramount" branch of the army.

**CRITICIZES OFFICERS.**

Officers sent before Congressional committees by the department, he declared, "usually have no practical knowledge about aviation," and are like "closet naturalists," who describe the "gracefulness of a bird's flight" and yet would not recognize the bird if seen in the open.

The House aircraft committee, meanwhile, continued its examination of J. V. Martin of the Martin Aircraft company, and heard Theodore Roosevelt, former assistant secretary of the navy, who also testified before the military committee prior to general Mitchell.

Roosevelt said it would be a "grave mistake" if the army and navy service were united as proposed in the pending bill.

**MINIMIZES BOMBING.**

Colonel Roosevelt minimised the effect of aerial bombing on surface ships, declaring there was a marked difference between bombing a defenceless target and a battleship equipped for war.

He said aircraft of present design would have to be carried to within 500 miles of American shores before being launched on a bombing enterprise against any American city and an adequate fleet would hinder such an attack.

## CONFERENCE TO DECIDE FATE OF POSTAL BILL

Washington, Feb. 17.—Insistence of the Senate and House on their respective rate provisions for the postal pay and rate increase bill has landed the measure in conference between the two bodies. Without a record vote, the Senate substituted its own bill for that passed by the House estimated to provide about twice the $30,000,000 in rate increases provided in the Senate measure to meet salary increases aggregating more than $60,000,000 annually.

## Six Horses Burned

Greenfield, Feb. 17.—Six horses were suffocated in a fire that destroyed the barn of the George A. Sheldon coal pocket early today, causing several thousand dollars damage. The building was beyond saving when the firemen arrived.

## GIRL BANKER IS HELD IN BIG SHORTAGE

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shortage uncovered in the arrest of Miss Tefft, 37-year-old secretary-treasurer of the institution, is approximately $110,000.

This afternoon he filed a petition for the appointment of a receiver with Judge Charles A. Walsh of the Washington County Superior Court and a decree was entered appointing Deputy Bank Commissioner Edward J. Littlefield, who at once began to investigate the affairs of the bank.

Miss Tefft's peculations cover the period of more than a year, according to Attorney-General Sisson. Of the money embezzled $60,000 was invested in "wild cat" stocks and the balance of $50,000 were loaned to a South County man on his promise to pay back "in a few days."

**BANK O. K. IN 1924.**

"The last examination of the bank was made in November, 1924," said Mr. Sisson today, "and the institution was all right as far as the examination disclosed. The embezzlement has been going on at least a year, during which time Miss Tefft has falsified entries in her books. Her method of obtaining mony was to draw checks on the bank in her name, which wnt through clearing and were honored. This was maneuvered because the correspondent bank in Providence allowed a large overdraft account with the Kingston Trust Company.

"About three years ago she personally invested some of her own funds in a stock promotion scheme brought to her attention through a circular. This led to the exhaustion of her own money, about $2,500, but the promoters urged her to continue further and she took the bank's funds to do so.

**$60,000 IN SCHEME.**

"She put about $60,000 into the scerne. The promoters are not Rhode Island men.

"The balance of $50,000 represents a total of a series of loans made without the knowledge of the board of directors of the bank and without the consent and contrary to their instructions. They were made with the promise they would be paid back in a few days. The man to whom she loaned the money told her he had valuable assets which could quickly be turned into cash.

"According to her statement, she never received any gift from the man other than a present at Christmas. He paid some interest, but the accumulative interest to date is about $1,100. His notes were at the bank but they were never shown to the officials until last Saturday.

**SHOWED OVERDRAFTS.**

"On December 31, 1924, Miss Tefft's report showed overdrafts of $19,000, but these drafts are greatly in excess of this sum."

The Kingston branch of the Peoples Savings Bank of Providence was located at the Kingston Trust Company and Miss Tefft was their agent there. Many students of the Rhode Island State College were depositors at the bank.

According to banking officials, it is doubtful if the institution will reopen. It was in bad shape when she went in there and she took it out of a hole. It is capitalized for $75,000 and its assets are about $194,000. Its depositors include farm and mill hands in the district.

## MAINE CENTRAL TO BUY SHORT LINE RAILROAD

Washington, Feb. 17.—An investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission indicated that the Maine Central Railroad would be permitted to pay $480,000 for a short railroad running in Canada, in order that it might immediately abandon the property.

The railroad which it is proposed to purchase is known as the Hereford Railway Company, and operates fifty-three miles of line from a point on the border at Beechers Falls, Vt., to Lime Ridge, Que. The examiner found that the Canadian company had $800,000 in par of common stock outstanding and $800,000 in 4 per cent. bonds, and that the Maine Central, by terms of a 999-year lease, was obligated to operate it.

## CAPTURES MAN AS BURGLAR IN FIGHT

### Policeman Seizes a Suspect With Bundle Under His Arm; Companion Flees

After a strenuous battle with two men, during which he was forced to use his club, Patrolman Charles Gallant of the Charlestown station today arrested William J. Donovan, 31 years old, of Wall street, Charlestown, charged with being a housebreaker.

The police claim Gallant recovered a quantity of property stolen from the home of James P. McMahon, No. 8 Rhode Island avenue, East Somerville.

McMahon's was one of several East Somerville houses broken into last night, his loss aggregating about $90.

Gallant, while patroling Main street, Charlestown, near Caldwell street, saw two men with a suspicious looking package. The policeman stopped the men, who began to fight. One made his escape, but Gallant succeeded in arresting Donovan, whose head was badly cut.

He was turned over to the Somerville police, together with the stolen property, and was to be arraigned in Somerville court today. The police will try to connect Donovan with other breaks.

## PRESIDENT NAMES CALIFORNIA JUDGE

Washington, Feb. 17.—Adolphus F. St. Sure was nominated by President Coolidge to be Federal district judge for Northern California.

The place to which Judge St. Sure was nominated was that for which Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, Assistant Attorney-General, had been seriously considered.

## Hero, 105, Is Dead

Havana, Feb. 17.—Antonio Hidalgo Figurera, a hero of Cuba's war of liberation in 1868 and 1895, is dead at Manzanillo at the age of 105 years. He is survived by five sons, nineteen grandchildren, seventy-five great grandchildren and four great great grandchildren.

**BRISBANE BOOK ORDER DEPT.**

Editor, Arthur Brisbane Volume,
Boston Evening American, Winthrop Sq., Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find $1, for which kindly mail me Arthur Brisbane's latest book, entitled "TODAY AND THE FUTURE DAY."

Name ..........................................

Address ..........................................

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ment that command of the sea means command of the world.

CAPTAIN MAHAN, a great sea captain, knew as little about modern war, when he wrote his book, as Napoleon knew about transporting troops by rail, or using submarines to attack England.

Air power is now the only power. Who rules the air can rule the world. The great cities, the dwelling of every ruler, President or King, is at his mercy.

THIS COUNTRY needs fighting aircraft, ten thousand of them, the most efficient fleet in the world, to be used for the mails and other public use in peace, for fighting in war.

And whether they "pay" or not is of no importance. Safety is cheap at any price. One efficient grafting patriot, if a war came, could cost this nation more than all the flying machines necessary to save us from foreign aviators. If you believe that, write to the President and tell him so. You'll help to pay the grafting bills and get your share of gas from the sky, if war ever catches us unprepared.

YOU MAY SAY "too much aircraft talk in that column, I'll skip for a while."

All right, skip. If a war finds us lacking an adequate air force, you will remember this warning.

This country is unprepared, as defenseless as Germany was, when the French marched into the Ruhr. Any one of four nations, in a sudden attack, could destroy every great city in America, and hold the nation for ransom.

The oceans no longer protect us. The Pacific Coast is only 30 hours from Asia, and the Atlantic Coast 10 hours from Europe, by airplane.

FIRST WOULD COME the swift high power planes, throwing our cities and our unprepared government into confusion, with attacks on half a dozen cities at once, including Washington. Then would come the slower, heavy bombing machines, to force conviction upon us.

And finally would arrive in very safe machines plenipotentiaries with power to fix terms for us.

IF THEY HAPPENED to be very polite gentlemen, with exquisite manners and slanting eyes, courteously expressing their regret, and bringing us a new set of ready made immigration laws, we should not like it.

But that would not help us. Flying machines would help us and nothing else would.

OUR ARMY is at the mercy of gas and bombs from the sky. Our cities under airplane attack would be made horrible holes of suffocation and terror.

Our lumbering battleships would be a ghastly joke. And the government official that defends and urges reliance on the battleship in defiance of common sense, because his friends make millions in building battleships, is a dangerous traitor, and needs to have the truth told plainly.

God help those responsible, from top to bottom, if an attack from the air ever finds this nation defenseless.

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# PLANS TO EVICT BUDLONG'S WIFE

## MUST QUIT HOME, SAYS HUSBAND'S ATTORNEY

New York, Feb. 17.—The determination of Mrs. Jessie Margaret Budlong to remain a self-imposed prisoner in her husband's East Seventy-second street apartment took on a serious aspect today when her husband's attorney, Abbott Phillips of Providence, failed in an attempt to persuade her to leave.

Unless the society woman, who lost her Newport suit for separate maintenance, took food and drink into the apartment with her, she is in danger of starvation, as she has accepted no food from outside since last Friday when she entered and refuses offers of supplies, declaring the food may be poisoned.

Force may be used to oust her from the locked bedroom, it was hinted today by representatives of her husband, Milton J. Budlong, vice-president of the North Central Texas Oil Company and former Boston oil man.

An attempt also may be made to have her examined by physicians if she refuses longer to leave the apartment.

In theatrical manner Mrs. Budlong flung out two notes from her refuge window, in a man's shirt bearing the initials "M. J. B.," presumably owned by her husband.

Three men were expected by her to break into the apartment, she wrote. The note said further:

"I have no weapons. If any harm comes to me it will be murder, as I shall not resist. If I do not call the newspapers after Thursday, get some proceedings to held me."

The other note said: "Help! Notify newspapers."

Servants have offered the determined wife food daily, but her hunger strike now is in the fifth day, with Mrs. Budlong declaring her determination to keep it up on the theory that any food offered her might be poisoned.

**HUSBAND VANISHES.**

Her imprisonment is voluntary, according to detectives in the apartment from which Budlong himself has fled with his two children, whose custody was awarded him by the Newport court.

The detectives hold it as no secret that Budlong is prepared to give three rousing cheers on notification that Mrs. Budlong has departed her self-imposed prison.

"We are not keeping Mrs. Budlong prisoner," declared one detective who said he spoke for the oil man. "She can go any time. Mr. Budlong would be glad to have her go. Of course, if she leaves the apartment, she will have to get a court order to regain entrance."

When Mrs. Budlong does leave she will face a court suit for $500 "services rendered." The suit was filed against her in Newport by the firm of Peale & McLoughlin, New York lawyers, through Sheffield & Harvey, attorneys, of Newport. A writ of summons has been served at her Newoprt home.

**REFUSES ALL FOOD.**

Unless her husband comes to her rescue, she is determined to starve to death, Mrs. Budlong declared in a conversation with guard of the apartment.

One of the guards called in to her:

"Mrs. Budlong, can't I make you a cup of coffee?"

"No, it would make me deathly sick," was her answer.

"Well, won't you have a glass of milk?"

"No."

"Won't you let us give you some kind of food?"

"I haven't asked for any, have I?"

"Are you drinking water?"

"Yes, plenty of it. One can live a long time on water, ten to fifteen days, I guess. I'll stick to water."

"Are you all right?"

"I'm O. K. I won't eat anything yet. How do I know it isn't poisoned?"

### WARREN'S COMPANY DENIES SUGAR CHARGE

Washington, Feb. 17.—A general denial of the complaint made against it by the Federal Trade Commission has been filed with the commission by the Michigan Sugar Company, of which Charles B. Warren was an official when he was nominated by President Coolidge to be attorney-general. The company declared that its contract with te Larrowe Milling Company, which was the basis of the complaint, was made in the course of routine business when Mr. Warren was in Mexico and never came before the board of directors. It expressed a willingness to cancel the arrangement if the commission [illegible]

### CANADIAN CANOEIST DOES STUNTS IN SEINE

Paris, Feb. 17.—George Smyth, a Canadian, bearing his canoe with him, jumped off the bridge of the Invalides into the river Seine today, bailing out the craft, righting it and paddled to shore midst cheers from a throng. The Seine was high from rains, making the distance from bridge to water thirty feet, but the swift tide accentuated the difficulty of the feat. Smyth was forced to swim alongside his canoe nearly 600 yards in freezing weather before he succeeded in emptying it.

### 2 MEN SMOTHERED TO DEATH IN JAIL

Alton, Ill., Feb. 17.—Two prisoners were smothered to death in the village jail at Hartford when smoke from a fire in their bedding filled their tightly closed cell.

The men, who gave the names of Jacob G. Feldmeier and Louis Wagner, had been arrested for drunkenness.

## HYPNOTIZED BY LOVE, SAYS GIRL SLAYER

Dorothy Perkins, seventeen-year-old New York girl who killed her sweetheart in struggle over revolver. She says the killing was accidental. Her strange infatuation for another man—a married wooer—led up to the tragedy. She says she was hypnotized by the love of this second man and could not give him up despite protests of Thomas Templeton, the youth she killed.

### "DUKE" FARRELL LAID TO REST AT MARLBORO

Marlboro, Feb. 17—Charlie "Duke" Farrell, for thirty-eight years a leading light in big league baseball and employed as coach by the Braves up to the time of his death, was laid to rest in his native hearth from the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

The former Braves scout died at the Carney oHspital, Boston, Saturday after a long illness.

Many former big league players and magnates were at the grave.

## GIRL WINS PLACE IN COLLEGE CABINET

Helen Richards, only girl chosen as member of Dean's cabinet at College of Business Administration. Assistant Dean Roy Davis says there are few mental or psychological differences between men and women. "Women, however," he says, "are more decidedly logical. They are more apt to go straight to the heart of matters.

## BOOTLEGS WHO 'DITCH' BOOZE ARE IN PERIL

Springfield, Feb. 17.—The bootlegger who attempts to destroy his contraband wares as the revenue officers approach only adds another count to the score against him.

This much was demonstrated when Patrick Riley of No. 14 Bridge street, Holyoke, was arrested for keeping intoxicating liquor. The arresting dry agents surprised Riley and in court made an additional charge against him of interfering with officers bent on making Federal seizures by attempting to destroy contraband. Riley, they said, smashed four bottles of liquor.

An old statute, it was explained, provides a maximum penalty of $2,000 fine and two years' imprisonment for this offence.

Riley's arrest will furnish a test case on the old law when he comes before U. S. Commissioner Fred G. Bennett next Thursday.

### JOHNSON PLEASED AT DEER ISLAND REPORT

A deep sense of personal gratification over the report of the City Council committee on prisons which recently probed conditions at Deer Island House of Correction is expressed by Dr. David J. Johnson, institutions commissioner, in a statement issued today.

"Whether there was laxity in the interim and the reasons for it will be brought out soon by a decision of the Supreme Court in the McDade case," the commissioner says.

Deputy Master McDade was recently suspended and his case is before the highest judicial tribunal in the State.

### BULLETIN WITHHELD ON BURTON'S CONDITION

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 17.—A bulletin which physicians attending Dr. Marion L. Burton, president of the University of Michigan, said would be given out today, was not forthcoming. Physicians remained in attendance at the bedside of Dr. Burton, ill since last October. It has been indicated that either pneumonia or pleurisy is developing in the right lung.

### MAN FOUND SLAIN IN DESERTED HOUSE

New York, Feb. 17.—An ancient Colonial house, now deserted, standing in the midst of a ten-acre farm in the Bronx just across the boundary line of Mount Vernon, was the scene of a mysterious slaying which is being investigated. James Ricardo, forty-five, a truck farmer, was the victim. His body was found by a friend at the foot of a stairway. There were shotgun wounds in the back of his head.

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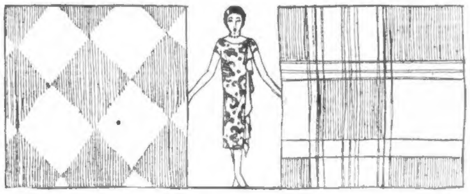

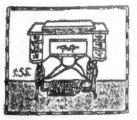

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# BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN SCORES BIG CAVE STORY "BEAT"

## SCOOPS RIVALS WITH TRAGIC NEWS OF COLLINS' FATE

Continued from First Page.

ton Evening American from eight to forty minutes ahead of its nearest competitor.

Throughout the remainder of the metropolitan section there was no competition.

In Back Bay hotels from 7:30 to midnight the Boston Evening American was the only evening newspaper on the stands which contained the details of one of the greatest news stories of a decade.

At 7:15, when the doors of the Central Theatre, Highland avenue, Somerville, opened for the evening performance, practically every one of the 500 patrons who entered carried a copy of the Boston Evening American containing the Collins story. Other newspapers on sale in the vicinity had no mention of it.

**GREAT NEWS "SCOOP."**

**In downtown districts the Boston Evening American was on sale with its Collins extras at Park street thirty minutes before its nearest competitor.**

**It appeared in Newspaper Row from eight to ten minutes in the lead.**

**In Scollay square, thirty minutes ahead.**

**South Station, forty minutes.**

**And North Station, fifteen minutes.**

The success of this striking news beat was not due to chance or lucky breaks, but to forethought, efficiency and high-speed methods. Speed in presenting the first flash was made possible through the red fudge and fudge line used only by the Boston Evening American.

Rapidity in distribution was due to the American's own fleet of motor trucks, thirty-two of which sped throughout the Metropolitan District with copies of the Collins extra.

**The Boston Evening American is the only newspaper in this city which makes its own independent delivery in Metropolitan Boston.**

**PRESSES KEPT ROARING.**

As the last truck roared from the building with the flash extras, new plates were being buckled on the presses, and in a very short time detailed stories of the finding of Collins' lifeless body were on the way to American readers.

In this way the big news was given to the Boston Evening American readers first, as usual, and in many instances they were familiar with the story hours before their neighbors.

The discovery that Collins was dead, made after two weeks of superhuman effort by the rescue party, was of tremendous interest to the public. For days their attention had been focussed on the little town of Cave City, Kentucky, where determined men toiled day and night to reach the crippled explorer, trapped far beneath the surface of the earth.

It was a human interest story of the best type, and when the climax came it constituted one of the most spectacular tragedies in years.

News when it is news is the policy of the Boston Evening American, and in accordance with this policy the story was presented to its readers first.

## *POISON TRACE IS SOUGHT IN COLLINS' BODY*

Continued from First Page.

**perilous the efforts of workers to release Collins' body that they were withdrawn at least temporarily from the hole today.**

**As a last resort to get out the body, workmen resumed digging a new passage in an attempt to go a round-about-way to reach Collins' feet, it was announced by Dr. W. D. Funkhouser.**

So hazardous were conditions in the natural passage that for a time serious consideration was given to a plan to seal Collins in his prison tomb and make it his final sepulchre.

Citizens of Cave City today pledged $1,000 to further the work of recovering Collins' body, with the stipulation that if the rescue work was unsuccessful then the sum would go toward a memorial to be erected in memory of Collins.

H. T. Carmichael, in charge of the shaft, announced that he advocated amputating the head or an arm of Collins to convince the public that he really is there, and then return the several members to its proper position and seal the prison tomb.

Some of the cribbing had slipped as much as six feet in the bottom of the shaft during the night, he said, making the position of the shaft workers more dangerous every minute they remained there.

Lee Collins, father of the cave victim, said he did not favor severing part of his boy's body for identification purposes and that he would rather have the body remain in its present position than to ask workmen to undergo more risk to their lives.

Lee Collins, who kept vigil at Sand Cave until the body of his son was reached, today requested newspaper men to express his thankfulness to all who helped in the fight and all who prayed for his son.

**"Do that for me," he asked. "Thank them all. All who prayed and all who worked. Thank Mr. Carmichael for his unceasing work and all the others who worked with him.**

**"Floyd may be dead, but the work has not been in vain, for it was God's will," he said.**

"Mr. Carmichael, I want to get your picture, sure," said the aged man, "and keep it with me always. May the good Lord bless you, and your brave men."

"Mr. Collins," Carmichael replied, "I tell you that without God Almighty's assistance, we couldn't have done it. He has permitted us to pass some places here which, without His aid, were impassable. If your faith in humanity ever falters, just know there are those whose faith extends to all parts of the earth."

How long Collins has been dead may never be determined exactly, according to Dr. Hazlett.

"It is impossible to tell from an examination of the head alone how long Collins has been dead and even when his body is brought to the surface and a thorough examination is made our calculations may be two or three days off," he said when he emerged from the shaft today.

"The temperature in the cavern is ideal to preserve a corpse. If Collins has been dead less than twenty-four hours, we, perhaps, can tell exactly, but longer than that it will be guesswork."

**FILAMENT BROKEN.**

The electric light bulb placed by Collins before the passageway sealed up was taken from Collins' neck along with a length of wiring.

H. G. Lane, in charge of the lighting equipment, found that, though the bulb was screwed firmly into the socket, the filament was broken.

Collins' feet probably will remain forever in the spot where they were pinioned by a falling boulder eighteen days ago.

With the consent of the Collins family, physicians will amputate one or both feet, when the hole has been made large enough for physicians to enter.

## *Day by Day Story of Cave Tragedy*

THE following is a day-by-day history of the seventeen days of tragedy at Sand Cave, Ky.

**FRIDAY, JAN. 30**—Floyd Collins, climbing out of marvelous Crystal Cave, is trapped by seven-ton boulder falling on his foot.

**SATURDAY, JAN. 31**—Two pals discover his plight and attempt rescue.

**SUNDAY, FEB. 1**—Collins begs to be pulled out at cost of foot when rescue attempts fail.

**MONDAY, FEB. 2.**—Harness is attached but attempts to pull him out are vain.

**TUESDAY, FEB. 3**—Electric lights hung around Collins' neck and appeal made for troops.

**WEDNESDAY, FEB. 4**—Dr. Hazlett arrives from Chicago to amputate foot, but cannot reach position.

**THURSDAY, FEB. 5**—Cave floor rises and walls close in, cutting Collins off from rescuers.

**FRIDAY, FEB. 6**—Rescue pit begun above tunnel. Radio tests made to determine if he still lives.

**SUNDAY, FEB. 8**—Banana oil fumes fail to disclose other lead to prison.

**MONDAY, FEB. 9**—Rumors that Collins trapping is hoax come to head.

**TUESDAY, FEB. 10**—Military court sits on hoax rumors.

**WEDNESDAY, FEB. 11**—Amplifier tests fail to record Collins' respiration and belief is that he is dead.

**THURSDAY, FEB. 12**—Rescue pit 48 feet deep and downward draft is felt for first time.

**FRIDAY, FEB. 13**—Workers believe they heard Collins cough.

**SATURDAY, FEB. 14**—Conversation tests reveal that pit bottom and cave tunnel are almost together 55½ feet down.

**SUNDAY, FEB. 15**—Lateral tunnel toward Sand Cave crawlway begun.

**MONDAY, FEB. 16**—Weary diggers break through into tunnel and Collins is found dead.

### Rocks May Shroud Floyd Collins Forever

Sand Cave, Ky., Feb. 17 (I.N.S.).—The rocks which spelt death to Floyd Collins may shroud him forever.

This became apparent today when engineers consulted on whether the bringing out of a body might mean death to many living men.

Work during the night on extricating Collins from his casement of rock proceeded among plumping stones and shifting mud. Workers cut closer to the head of the dead man, joining the narrow tunnel and the natural passageway at the end of which the explorer's body lay.

It became apparent it would be impossible to tunnel around Collins, to pry off the pinioning rock and then to bring him to the surface. It meant the endangering of lives, and H. T. Carmichael, superintendent of operations, recommended that the Collins family grant permission to amputate either one or both legs of the body to accelerate its freeing.

**CAN'T MOVE BODY.**

Lieutenant-Governor H. H. Denhardt had announced that C. C. Howard, a local physician, would sever the limb. Dr. William Hazlett, who was sent from Chicago to perform the delicate operation while Collins was still living, went down into the shaft later, accompanied by Dr. E. D. Turner, and Dr. Howard and the three agreed that it would be impossible to perform the operation because of the fact that rocks buried the body almost to the shoulders.

Lieutenant Benjamin Wells and Dr. Hazlett then undertook to pull the body out by attaching a harness to it. This failed.

"We will never risk lives for a dead body!" stated General Denhardt. "Men braved death because there existed a hope that a living man awaited them to the end. If the engineers cannot solve the problem presented in the tunnel that will not be a danger to the workers, we will not attempt to bring Collins to the surface."

Three methods of establishing the corpus delecti remained aside from the actual presence of the body.

1—It was suggested by General Kehoe that finger prints be taken of the man in the rock wedge and compared with those of Floyd Collins now filed at Washington with his record as a soldier. This appears entirely feasible, as Collins' right hand is doubled up on his chest and is accessible.

2—Friends of the family had suggested that they, who had known Floyd intimately through childhood, boyhood and manhood, go down and identify the body at the bottom of the shaft.

3—Dr. Hazlett and newspaper photographers suggested that the death mask method and close up photographs might add to the mass of evidence presented at the inquest to establish the corpus delecti.

If the tunnel shall become Floyd Collins' grave, a few simple folk will gather about the shaft, listen to words of their faith and the boy who has brought the world to Sand Cave shall rest unforgotten for a time.

### Explorer Collins Guided Killed Himself

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 17.—The lure of Kentucky's caves takes its toll of lives in more ways than one.

While Floyd Collins died as a physical result of his cave explorations, it was recalled here today that Adolph Melzer, wealthy manufacturer, who became enamored of the subterranean wonders, recently took his life when he became too old to pursue his explorations.

In late years Melzer, who recently drowned himself in the Ohio River, devoted all his time to exploring caves, making colored photographs of the vaulted chambers. Floyd Collins often acted as his guide.

In one of his last letters Melzer, a friend of Thomas Edison and alone in the world, wrote to a friend:

"The beauty of the caverns haunts me day and night. In them I find my only pleasure. They are so silent that they remind me of death. If I might, I would end my life there."

A few days later Melzer killed himself.

### Body to Lie in State if It Is Recovered

Cave City, Ky., Feb. 17 (A.P.).—Tentative arrangements for the body of Floyd Collins, if recovered, to lie in state in the Cave City high school for two days were announced by T. L. Gorby, a friend of the family.

Four ministers, pastors of churches in this region, will conduct the funeral services and the body may be taken to Mammoth Cave burial ground and laid to rest beside those of his mother and sister.

The Revs. Albert Hale, Baptist, of Cave City, E. K. Dickey, Methodist, of Horse Cave; C. J. Cooper, Baptist, Mammoth Cave, and Roy Biser, Christian Church, Glasgow, will take part in the ceremonies.

The Rev. E. U. Turner of Cave City will deliver thanks to the world at large in behalf of the Collins family.

**TO SEARCH CLOTHING.**

Johnny Gerald, one of the outstanding figures in the early rescue efforts, will be the first to go through the victim's clothing. In doing so, Gerald will abide by the wish of Lee Collins.

"Floyd had a habit of carrying everything he had with him," Lee Collins told Gerald. "He carried his money, his deeds and any other valuables he owned. I want you to go through his clothing for me the first one."

It had been intimated by some that Floyd and Gerald had not been good friends and by others that he had hindered, rather than helped, in the rescue work.

Now, with Floyd a corpse, Mr. Collins took this means of expressing his faith in Gerald by asking that he represent the family.

The probable cost of the rescue operation may never be accurately estimated. If the time of those who volunteered their services were included, the cost doubtless would run far into thousands of dollars.

In addition to this, equipment, supplies and machinery of untold value was dumped on the scene to be used in any way that it could. Much of it came from no one knows where, and a great deal of it will never be returned to the donors.

**HUNDREDS HELPED.**

Several hundred men participated in the rescue work at one time or another, and the names of the outstanding ones alone would make a long list.

Interest-compelling because of the unusual circumstances attendant to the accident and the long struggle to extricate the prisoner, Collins' story attracted and held the attention of the entire nation for two weeks.

Newspaper men came from distances of more than a thousand miles to "cover" the story, and day after day the newspapers printed columns of news concerning the rescue efforts.

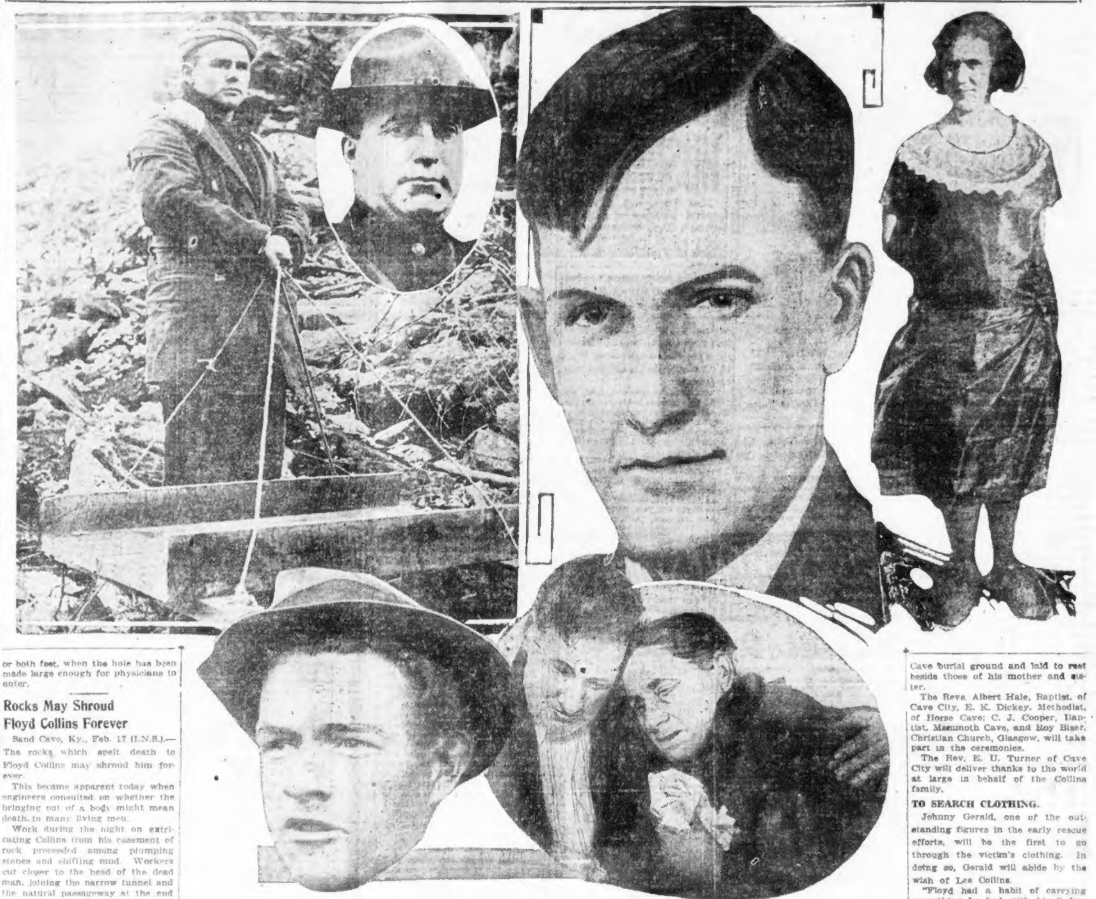
### MIDDLESEX SOLONS GUESTS AT DINNER

The Middlesex members of the Legislature were the guests of the Middlesex County officials at dinner at the City Club for the purpose of instilling a "get-together" spirit. County Treasurer Charles E. Hatfield was toastmaster and explained the object of the gathering, declaring that it was not for the purpose of furthering any special Middlesex matters now pending before the Legislature.

### THOMAS C. O'BRIEN CLUB TO HOLD DANCE TONIGHT

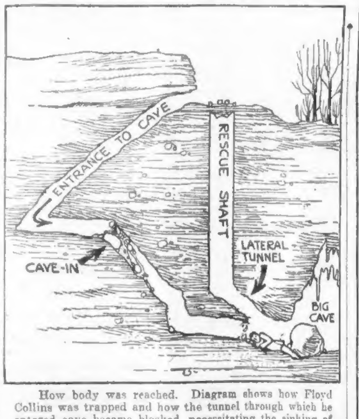
The Thomas C. O'Brien Club will hold its second annual concert and ball at the State ballroom. Dancing will begin at 8 p. m. and the grand march, at 10:30, will be led by District-Attorney O'Brien and Mrs. O'Brien.

## LEADING FIGURES IN CAVE DRAMA WHICH STIRRED THE NATION



(International News Reel Photos.)

Above, at left, Walter Wells with the wooden stretcher on which it had been planned to bring out Collins. From left to right, above, Lieutenant-Governor H. H. Denhardt, Floyd Collins, the cave victim, and his sweetheart. Below, Homer Collins, a brother, and the aged parents of the entombed man.



How body was reached. Diagram shows how Floyd Collins was trapped and how the tunnel through which he entered cave became blocked, necessitating the sinking of a shaft, also shown.

## American Again First With Biggest News When It Is News

### *"Extra! Collins Found Dead"*

TWENTY minutes before any other newspaper in Boston carried the story of the finding of Floyd Collins the Boston Evening American was on sale with the complete story of the discovery of Collins' body.

For more than two weeks the interest of the entire newspaper-reading public of the country was focused on Collins as he lay imprisoned in the limestone cave that eventually proved to be his sepulchre.

**The finding of the body marked the climax of the most spectacular tragedy of the year. That the Boston Evening American scored a clean beat on the presentation of the news of the finding of he body was not due to "luck." It was due to the long established policy of the paper—to print the news FIRST.**

News is only news when its the FIRST NEWS.

How well the Evening American is keeping its promise to furnish readers with important news FIRST is gleaned from the following list of important news stories published first in Boston by the Evening American during the past fortnight:

Feb. 4.—American first with story of **South End bomb explosion.** Police discover cache of dynamite bombs.

Feb. 6.—American first "on the street" with the story of **"Lone Wolf's"** attack upon Miss Briggs, his fourth victim.

Feb. 7.—Exclusive story of Los Angeles **seven-year-old girl "Borgia,"** who confessed poison plots.

Feb. 7.—Exclusive story of culmination of the **Jack Dempsey-Estelle Taylor romance.** They got marriage license and later wed in Los Angeles.

Feb. 9.—**Dr. Thierry confesses** murder of brother-in-law. Sent to asylum.

Feb. 9.—Open war on **Medford "Klan" pastor.**

Feb. 11.—Exclusive story of **robbery in Back Bay** of "Lord Ashburton," notorious international swindler.

Feb. 13.—Reconciliation story, given the Evening American exclusively by **Mrs. Jessie Margaret Budlong,** Newport society women who sought separation.

Feb. 16.—Two men lost when **Gloucester schooner sinks** off Cape Sable.

Feb. 16.—**Mr. and Mrs. J. Seymour Diehl keep marriage secret** thirty months.

Feb. 16.—**Charles H. Fielding pleads guilty** to murder of Alphonse Cote, when trial opens in Portland.

# $250,000 DRIVE WILL START SUNDAY

### Campaign for Funds to Be Launched at Meeting of American Jewish Congress

The American Jewish Congress will hold its annual meeting of the National Executive Committee at the Hotel Somerset Sunday morning and afternoon, it is announced by Judge David I. Lourie, honorary chairman.

**Morris Margulies**

Distinguished Jews from all parts of the country will assemble here for this occasion to discuss chiefly the problems of Jewish emigration from Eastern Europe. Abraham Goldberg who recently returned from an extended visit in European countries will afford the delegates first hand information of existing conditions.

Dr. Stephen S. Wise, noted Jewish leader, who is president of the Congress, will preside. Morris Margulies, organization secretary, now in Boston arranging details, is also directing for the final details of the $250,000 drive which will be fired the same day.

Among the bright lights expected to shine at the Congress meeting are Federal Judge Julian W. Mack, Supreme Court Justice Aaron J. Levy of New York, Judge Hugo Pam of Chicago, Samuel Untermeyer, Joseph Barondess, Congressman Nathan D. Perlman of New York, and Barnard G. Richards, executive secretary of the Congress.

This organization represents all classes of American Jews and is engaged in the work of safeguarding the rights of Jews in European countries. A delegation of the American Jewish Congress, headed by Louis Marshall, was instrumental in securing at the Peace Conference treaty guarantees of minority rights for the Jews of Eastern Europe.

The Boston Congress committee includes Samuel Kalesky, chairman; Albert Hurwitz, first vice-chairman; Mrs. H. Benjamin, second vice-chairman; James D. Glunts, treasurer; Robert Silverman, secretary; Abe Hamlin, associate secretary.

The Boston executive committee are: Elihu D. Stone, Philip Potash, Alexander Vrin, Benjamin S. Schoolman, Abe Roosov, Mrs. Moe Levine, Jacob Wasserman, Meyer J. Sawyer, Edward Cohen, Simon Finberg and Gertrude Oppenheim.

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# NOYES PRAISES MEDALS FOR FIREMEN

### Street Commission Congratulates Boston Evening American for Its Enterprise

"In this as in a great many other worth while projects, the Boston Evening American has taken the initiative and deserves great credit," declares Chairman John H. L. Noyes of the Board of Street Commissioners commenting on the plan of this newspaper to reward two heroic firemen each wear by presenting them with diamond medals.

**J. H. L. Noyes.**

Not only will the Boston Evening American present medals to the two firemen for meritorious service, but it will also award $100 to the wife, mother, sister or other woman kin of each of them.

Chairman Noyes said:

"The proposal of the Boston Evening American to recognize and reward heroic devotion to duty in the Boston Fire Department by the presentation of a diamond medal meets with my hearty approval and commendation.

**SPUR TO AMBITION.**

"There is no branch of the public service in which the people are more intimately interested than the fire department of our city.

"The brave men who make up that branch of our municipal service have always compared more than favorably with similar organizations in other large cities.

"The present administration has provided the department with mechanical equipment which is the best and most up to date that could be procured.

"While I realize that it has never been necessary to offer a reward to spur the Boston firemen to their best efforts, I nevertheless feel that it is a step in the right direction and cannot but have a beneficial effect.

**WORTH WHILE PROJECT.**

"There are a great many members of this department whose duties preclude their having an opportunity to distinguish themselves at fires. This proposition of the Boston Evening American is sufficiently comprehensive to include all members of the department, and to recognize any conspicuous act of bravery that may be performed.

"In this as in a great many other worth while projects, the Boston Evening American has taken the initiative and deserves great credit. I sincerely hope this institution will be a permanent feature in our fire fighting organization and will establish a class of men in our city who will be respected and honored for the qualities which should merit respect and honor from all of our citizens.

(Signed) "JOHN H. L. NOYES,
"Chairman,
"Board of Street Commissioners."

## ARMY ENGINEERS FIND DERELICT IN NARROWS

The United States army engineers have located a derelict in the Narrows Channel, off Bug Light, over which there is only sixteen feet of water. Navigators have been warned of the danger and a buoy was placed over the spot.

The wreck is undoubtedly the scow which, with a water boat, ran ashore on Georges recently and afterward floated off and disappeared. On the scow was a derrick which on Thursday last was reported by Captain Allen of the steamer Norwalk as projecting six feet out of water. The derrick was removed on Saturday by Captain Ross Perry, with the police boat Guardian.

## RIGHT ANGLE CLUB HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

The Right Angle Club of the Boston Y. M. C. A. held its February meeting in the Huntington avenue branch with Mrs. Arthur W. Peel, wife of one of the associate physical directors of the Association, as hostess. Mrs. George W. Coleman was the speaker. The membership of the Right Angle club is made up of the wives of the secretaries and full time instructors employed by the Y. M. C. A.

## SOMERVILLE LAWYER ON TRIAL IN AUTO THEFTS

The trial of George T. Perry, prominent Somerville attorney, accused of being the guiding hand of an "auto theft ring," was resumed in East Cambridge Superior Criminal Court today.

The State is endeavoring to show that Perry had stolen autos delivered to him at Somerville, and that he had the numbers on the engines of the cars changed, after which he resold them.

## AMBASSADOR KELLOGG IS GIVEN RECEPTION

London, Feb. 17.—A dinner and reception were given this evening by Lady Astor to Frank B. Kellogg, the retiring American ambassador, and Mrs. Kellogg on the eve of their departure home. Lady Astor has been a close friend of Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg during their stay in England.

# Shoots Sister to Save Her From Suffering

Paris, Feb. 17.—A tragic parallel to the crime for which Mlle. Uminska, the young Polish actress, was recently tried and acquitted—the killing of her fiance to save him further agony from an incurable disease—was enacted in Paris.

Anna Levasseur, a middle-aged dressmaker, shot and killed her sister, Anais, aged 29. Anna, when arrested, told the police: "I killed my sister at her direct request. She was suffering from an incurable malady—tuberculosis of the bones."

## $6,500 AWARD FOR SHOOTING IS SUSTAINED

Providence, Feb. 17.—A $6,500 verdict, awarded to Thomas E. Stack, Attleboro youth in his suit against Peter Gikas of Pawtucket, following a shooting affray in Pawtucket, October 21, 1928, was sustained by Judge A. A. Capotosto in a rescript filed in Superior Court, in which the court denied the defendant's motion for new trial.

The court found the verdict "proper as to liability and reasonable in assessment of damages." Stack suffered a bullet wound through his abdomen. He went to Gikas' home on Buldgeon street, Pawtucket, and demanded a drink of liquor, the testimony showed, and Gikas claimed Stack was shot by somebody else.

# Suicide Leaves Landlord $2.38 to Pay for Gas

New York, Feb. 17.—August Meier of Philadelphia, a mechanic, committed suicide in an East Side room after bequeathing $2.38 to his landlord to pay for the gas required to take his life, and $6 to the children's ward at Bellevue Hospital.

"I was born at sunrise; at sunrise I die," said one note he left. Another read: "Darwin was right. Men are like monkeys."

Meier engaged the room last Friday.

## JEWS FACING CRISIS IN EUROPE, SAYS ZIONIST

New York, Feb. 17.—Jews in Europe are facing "the greatest and most serious problem in all their checkered history," Dr. Chaim Weizmann, president of the World Zionist Organization, said tonight at a mass meeting held in Carnegie Hall to welcome him to America.

Post-war economic readjustments in Europe, irrespective of anti-Semitism, Dr. Weizmann asserted, have deprived the Jews of their former subsistence. In Russia, he said, 9,000,000 Jews who were merchants and small artisans have "no economic place under the Soviet regime and have been economically uprooted and dislocated from the life of the country."

## HOUSE VOTES FOR BUNKER HILL CELEBRATION

Washington, Feb. 17.—A resolution proposing participation by the Federal government in the 150th anniversary celebration of the Battle of Bunker Hill was adopted by the House and sent to the Senate.

Under the measure a commission would determine an appropriate way in which the Federal government could take part in the celebration. An appropriation of $5,000 is provided for expenses of the commission and $10,000 to pay the expenses of the government's part in the anniversary. The celebration will be in June.

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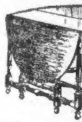

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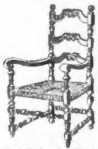

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6-Piece Dining Room Suite $69
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4-Piece Bedroom Suite $79
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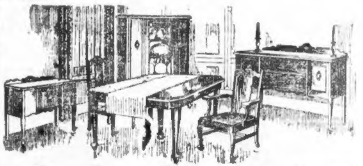
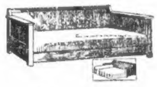
An exceptionally handsome bedroom suite, well built of fine hardwood finished to resemble walnut with a two-tone effect. It consists of large dresser, bow-foot bed, toilet table and bench. A really wonderful value.



10-Piece Dining Room Suite $139
Reduced to
Well built of walnut in combination with other hard wood, in the popular Queen Anne period design. It consists of large buffet, oblong extension table, china cabinet, closed server, one arm chair and five side chairs with seats upholstered in a fine grade of tapestry. We do not believe this suite can be duplicated at this low February Sale price.



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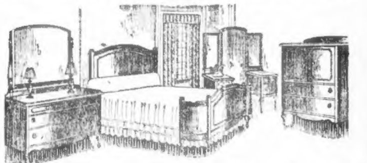

4-Piece Walnut Bedroom Suite $149
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The bedroom is always worthy of the best kind of furnishings. Here is one that will surely please; large dresser, bow-foot bed, vanity case and chifforette in genuine Walnut in combination with other cabinet wood. This suite is a wonderful value at this February Sale Price.

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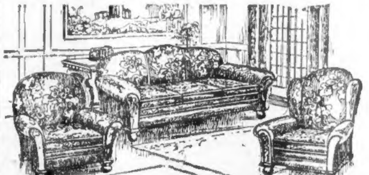

3-Piece Living Room Suite $85
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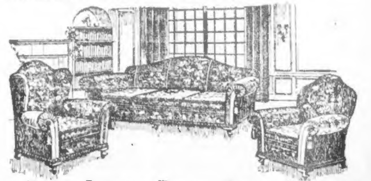
One of the very best values we have ever been able to offer. All three pieces are covered in a fine grade of tapestry, have loose spring cushion seats and spring construction with heavy hardwood frames.

Genuine White Mountain Refrigerator
Reduced to...... $29
Although you may not need a refrigerator now, here is an opportunity to buy at Winter prices and save money. It is 32 inches wide, 18 inches deep, and 43 inches high, ice capacity approximately 65 lbs.



3-Piece Living Room Suite $295
Reduced to
This suite consists of large divan, fireside chair and arm chair in the popular Queen Anne period design. The entire fronts, arms and cushions are upholstered in a very heavy jacquard velour. The suite is decorated with tassels. It has web bottoms, spring construction throughout with loose spring cushion seats. One of the biggest values in this sale.

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*DRAMA—*

*New Park—"New Brooms" 8:15 P. M.*
*Hollis—"The Swan"—8:15 P. M.*
*Wilbur—"Beggar on Horseback"—8:20 P. M.*
*Plymouth—"Simon Called Peter"—8:15 P. M.*
*Selwyn—"White Cargo"—8:15 P. M.*
*St. James—"Expressing Willie"—8:15 P. M.*

*MUSICAL—*

*Colonial—"Ziegfeld Follies" 8:00 P. M.*
*Shubert—"Greenwich Village Follies"—8:10 P. M.*
*Tremont—"Peter Pan"—8:15 P. M.*

*FILMS—*

*Tremont Temple — "The Lost World"—8:10 P. M.*
*Fenway—"Salome of the Tenements."*
*State—"Dixie Handicap."*

*BURLESQUE—*

*Casino—"Stop and Go"—8:10 P. M.*
*Gayety — "Wine, Woman and Song"—8:10 P. M.*

## 30,000 AT FUNERAL OF GERMAN MINE VICTIMS

Dortmund, Westphalia, Feb. 17.—A throng estimated at 30,000 witnessed the burial of the 136 workers who lost their lives in the Stein Mine explosion here last week. Delegations of foreign Miners' Unions followed the hearses, which were covered with flowers. The business offices of the city and most of the private houses displayed signs of mourning.

## ABANDONED INFANT IS FOUND IN ROXBURY

An infant wrapped in a blanket was found by the police today on the doorstep at No. 137 Ruggles street, Roxbury, in response to a mysterious telephone call. The baby was taken to the City Hospital, where it was said to be suffering from exposure.

Mrs. Youngwife Said: "I took no chances with him-I seasoned everything with LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE and he says I am a wonderful cook."

AT EVERY GROCERY

# Hub's Initial Fine Arts Carnival Proves Riot of Color and Action

### Costumes Marvelous for Range and Correctness Aid in Big Success

### Credit Due to Harvard and Tech Professors Planning Decorations

*By Betty Alden*

BOSTON'S FIRST FINE Arts Carnival last evening at Horticultural Hall goes down into history as a stupendous success, and all hats are off to the clever coterie staging this innovation in the social scheme.

THE STAID OLD HALL was transformed into a riot of color and action by striking and picturesque costume of the dancers, and also by the gaily painted panels depicting the Festival of Spring.

PROFESSOR JEAN JACQUES HAFFNER, of Harvard, and Professor Jacques Carlu of Technology, recently awarded the Prix de Rome, were the geniuses to whom all credit is due for the special decorations.

OF MARVELOUS RANGE and authenticity were the costumes, one of the handsomest that of Mrs. James Jackson, a stately figure in the black velvet and Elizabethan collar of Old England.

SHE AND MRS. WILLIAM FAY, and Miss Katherine Fay, in their voluminous satins and velvets of Court lines, were in a box at the head of the ballroom. Nearby was Mrs. Frederick S. Whitwell, beautifully arrayed in King's blue velvet, a veritable Queen Elizabeth.

ALSO FOLLOWING the Mode of Merrie England was Mrs. Horace Binney, in black and white, while Mr. Binney donned the hunter's pink and joined the gay group of huntsmen whose coats made such brilliant spots of color in the kaleidoscope.

THE MARCHESA FERRANTI and her husband were in Italian peasant costume; Mrs. Henry Parkman, Jr., wore a handsome Spanish costume of black satin and embroidered shawl, and Mrs. Stedman Hoar looked for all the world like a Zuloaga portrait, with her black lace mantilla and voluminous skirts.

CERTAINLY THE SPANISH influence was everywhere, due perhaps to the recent visit of Zuloaga himself to Boston. It was evidenced in Mrs. Philip Gardner's rich costume of mantilla and swishing silks, in Barbara Forbes' exquisite all white array, and in Miss Grace Eliot's pastel taffetas and gossamer mantilla.

MR. AND MRS. CUSHING GOODHUE were bewigged and bepowdered Colonial gentleman and lady; Mrs. Gordon Abbott, also the Colonial Dame of High Degree, was in white satin with powdered hair, and Mrs. Harold Peabody, in black velvet.

Photograph by Jamieson.

Mrs. William Stanley Parker, who always makes such a conspicuous success in whatever undertaking engages her executive talents, is just now arranging some of the many preliminaries for the coming Vincent Club show.

GRANDMOTHER'S ATTIC chests had been ransacked, surely, for any number of handsome and authentic costumes of the sixties, of the thirties and other periods, and each strikingly individual and becoming.

TO MENTION BUT a few of the many—perhaps Mrs. Walter Hunnewell's and Mrs. John A. Lowell Blake's softly tinted taffetas, Mrs. F. L. W. Richardson's "bustle" period gown, and Mrs. Harry H. Richardson's old-timey rose and blue were outstanding.

MRS. EDWIN FARNHAM GREENE, too, wore the gown of great-great-grandmother's day, a soft apple green with lace fichu, and Mr. Greene was Uncle Sam, the much caricatured old gentleman to the life, with the tall gray hat and quaint clothes of the famous personage. Columbia, in red, white and blue, bestarred and with gleaming crown, was the role essayed by Mrs. George Cushing.

COLONIAL DAYS, when gentlemen wore knee breeches and huge cravats, came in for the attention of Mr. George Peabody Gardiner, Jr., and every country under the sun, it seemed, was represented in the costumes of the men and women dancers.

MESSRS. WALLACE GOODRICH in Manchu costume, Harry Vaughan as the leader of the huntsmen in pink coats, Bradley Fenno in the robes of a Far-Eastern potentate, and Holker Abbott in the black velvet of the master of ceremonies and carrying the wand of office, were a conspicuous quartet in the throngs garbed in motley array.

QUITE EARLY in the evening's program of divertissements Mrs. Edmund S. R. Brandt sang delightfully, repeating the huge success she made in the Junior League show, "The Arcadians," not so long ago. I believe she wore the same violet-blue Arcadian costume and sang the same song which won so many plaudits at that time. Lieutenant Brandt was in full dress uniform of the Navy.

EUGENIA FROTHINGHAM, daughter of the Langdon Frothinghams, gave a spirited number, a Syrian sword dance, one of the specialties just before supper, when colored lights played over the youthful devotee of Terpsichore.

LITTLE MISS FROTHINGHAM, a pupil of Berthe and Francesca Braggiotti, preceded another number also from that studio, an airy thing done by five young girls and called "Soaring." The dancers were Marion Winslow, Barbara West, Marcia Bell, Christine Perry and Dana Sieveling.

IN ALL THE HUNDREDS of dancers, there was no costume more pleasing to the eye than that of Mrs. J. Harleston Parker. A hooped skirt of pale blue and white, a snug bodice topped with shoulder bands of roses, a white wig adorned with roses made one of the handsomest arrays in the whole hall.

HER DAUGHTER, EDITH PARKER, wore a Chinese maiden's dress, done in black velvet. That tall and notably handsome couple, Olivia Howard and her fiance, Robert Raymond, were in costume, Miss Howard as a sea maiden, and Mr. Raymond a Spanish Grandee.

MRS. JOHN CHIPMAN GRAY was a Chinese Princess, and her granddaughter, Anne Tudor, one of the bud set of the Winter, was a Dutch girl in kirtle and lace cap.

SOCIETY IN ITS YOUNGER element was well represented. I saw Mrs. Charles A. Coolidge, Jr., in an exquisitely embroidered and tinted Chinese costume, also Marian Fenno in the garb of the Far East. Helen Lovering was a Colonial maid with silken frock and powdered hair, and Ellnor Jackson was a Dutch girl, with sabots and lace cap to complete the gay bodice and round full skirt.

SALLY DEXTER, the petite and blonde young daughter of the William Endicott Dexters, was in demure white muslin, patterned in roses, and Kathleen Rotch was in pastel rose and blue, a ballerina.

ROSAMOND BORLAND, also a prominent member of the younger smart set, was the omnipresent Spanish lady, all in scarlet with flowers caught in her dark hair, and Mrs. George Dabney was a Pierette in black satin and white tulle, very handsome indeed.

BRIGHT SCARLET and white, with cap of red, and many pearl beads, was the costume Mrs. Gerald Bramwell wore, one of the Moyenage period, with long waisted frock and stately head-dress.

ALSO IN BRIGHT red, but done in the Oriental manner, was Mrs. Gorham Brooks' costume, her gown of the Eastern girl gleaming with tinsel and mock jewels.

MRS. WILLIAM DANA ORCUTT was a dainty Dresden Shepherdess, with roses in her high piled powdered wig, and her gown of silk in lovely soft ivory and blue.

QUITE MODERN AND up to the minute was the gold cloth costume and turban donned by Mrs. Nathaniel Emmons for the occasion. She was, to the life, the lovely Princess of the Thief of Bagdad.

MRS. EDWARD JACKSON HOLMES wore a stately costume of black velvet with pearls and ruff, one of the Court creations of the time of gorgeous routs and balls.

SHE WAS OF THE smart box holders, and others of the exclusive set holding boxes were Mrs. Robert F. Herrick, Mrs. Curtis Guild and Mrs. Frederick Whitwell, who shared hostess honors, Dr. and Mrs. T. Morris Murray and Mrs. George H. Monks.

ALSO, MRS. GEORGE LEE, the Henry Forbes Bigelows, Mrs. Brooks Fenno and Mrs. John L. Thorndike, Mrs. Tom Motley, Mrs. George West, Mrs. Montgomery Sears, Mrs. Robert Treat Paine, 2d, Mrs. Freddy Ayer, Mrs. Roger Griswold, and Mrs. Benjamin Pitman.

TOO MUCH CANNOT be said of the fine detail and finesse with which Boston's first Fine Arts Ball was staged. Quite flawless in detail, apparently, were the arrangements, in the competent hands of Messrs. Harleston Parker, F. L. W. Richardson, William Emerson, Wallace Goodrich, Holker Abbott and others.

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# Flood of 'Cave Man' Love Letters Pours In on Champion Jack Dempsey

### Missives Many and Varied, Most Want to Be Treated Rough, but Champ Insists They Be Dealt With Gently

*"My beautiful cave man, I want to die crushed in your powerful arms." The love letters that flood Jack Dempsey's mail are astounding in their frankness, and they come from all over the world.*

By JACK DEMPSEY
(As Told to W. B. Seabrook.)

CHAPTER XXII.

THE LIFE OF A CHAMPION is highly varied, as these pictures reveal, with Jack trying to look coy between a blonde and a brunette, while below he is "figuring the gate" on an adding machine and telephoning to his secretary in the smallest portrait.

THE girls who know Jack Dempsey intimately like him best of all for his boyish good nature, his modesty, his unfailing good humor, and a kind of playful gentleness which they doubtless find surprising in a fighter.

The girls and women who do not know him personally—but who shower him with the most extraordinary deluge of love letters and "mash notes" ever written to an unwilling "sheik"—seem to be imbued with a different idea.

Three-fourths of them, apparently, are suffering from the "cave man complex." They want to be treated rough. Jack Dempsey insists on disclaiming all responsibility for this chapter. The letters embarrass him, and he feels that it might be "ungentlemanly" or in bad taste to discuss them publicly. I believe, on the other hand, that they are "a part of the picture," and that some of them ought to be used —always, of course, protecting the identity of the writers.

**AN EYEFUL FOR HER.**

He said:

"Bill, you know I don't like this stuff. I'm not a cave man and I'm not a sheik. All that's the bunk to me. But here's this bunch of letters in the bottom of this trunk. I guess I've burned up ten times as many. I can't help it that people write 'em. You go through it, if you think you've got to, and take what you want, and be sure you tear 'em up or burn 'em up afterward. And I don't have to tell you that it's nix on names and addresses."

It would take a volume to publish what I found—letters from flappers, letters from girls in small towns, letters from society women in search of a new thrill, from women artists in Greenwich Village. Here's a typical one from a flapper:

"Hello Champ, I guess I am the chump. I went to see you every day while you were acting on Broadway, and even followed you over to the Metropolitan Theatre in Brooklyn. Now if that is not devotion, what is?

"You sure were a grand, great, beautiful eye-full. I was crazy about watching your feet. Didn't you notice my heart lying there, as you danced about the ring? And as for sparring, I wish I could be your sparring partner for life! Well, Jackie, this is sudden, but consider yourself proposed to.

"By the way, they say I'm beautiful—and I don't have to add, dumb. But I am red-headed and red-blooded, and red-dy for you any time. I will be in the lobby of the —— hotel, on the evening of ——, at 8 o'clock, and I will stay till 9. I will wear a red rose and a gardenia side by side.

**READY TO FALL.**

"If you come for me, you will recognize me easily, for I shall be the lady who has just fainted. Break through the crowd, Jackie, darling —grab me by the hair—and heave me home."

Here are some extracts from a more serious letter from a woman of obvious education and refinement: but who wanted, after all, the same thing the flapper wanted.

"There is no way that I can see —— properly introduced to you and beginning an acquaintance in the accepted conventional manner. But why cannot the emancipation of woman hold good for other purposes than voting and earning one's living?

"I realize that from your point of view, it is a terrific leap in the dark to agree to see me at all. I am not the person this brazen letter suggests, and I am not so stupid as to elaborate my charms. But just to talk to you—to touch your hand—would be the most thrilling adventure of my life."

Here is one that waxes eloquent.

"Jack Dempsey, Adored—The sun rises and stays in the heaven, high above, for all to see. Millions stop to look, to admire, to marvel, but the sun just shines down, and we who admire are not known by the sun.

"So it is with you—so strong, so beautiful—and so distant—for though you are always before me, in the papers, on the screen, and sometimes in person, you don't even know that I exist—and yet I have a love for you that must be equal to the warmth of the sun itself. Will you dare to chance that flame and conquer it? For I know you are the stronger—you the master and I the slave—or shall you stand, high, far off, impersonal, always beyond me?"

**PATHOS AND BATHOS.**

Here is one that is pathetic in its absolute sincerity:

"Dear Mr. Dempsey: I've tried and tried to keep myself from writing this letter. But I can't help it. Still I can't bear either to have you think that I'm the sort of girl who makes a habit of things of this kind. I've never worshipped a matinee idol in my life, and I've always laughed at girls who wrote great people, asking for autographs and things.

"Well, I don't want an autograph, or even a photograph. I already have one of the latter in a silver frame on my bureau. But, oh, Mr. Dempsey, I do want just frightfully to meet you face to face. My father was an artist, and I've adored beauty ever since I was a little girl with long curls—(they were natural ones)!

"So ever since I saw those divine moving pictures of you, I haven't been able to think of anything except how strong and wonderful you are. And when I go to sleep, it is often to dream about you.

"Please, please, answer this. After I saw you once in a theatre, I broke my engagement to a boy I once thought I loved . . . but no matter about that. Even if I never get married, I won't care, if I can touch your strong hand once, and see those marvelous teeth shining when you smile. Or you can frown if you like. You can be angry.

"I'd rather have you beat me than to be treated kindly by any other man. Won't you answer, please, PLEASE! I'll promise not to be a bother, but always.

"Your Devoted Slave."

### Other Letters Equally as Interesting in the Trunkful That Jack Keeps for Rainy Day Perusal

Of course, they are not all like that. Here is a lovely little letter, from a woman who expected no answer, and who asked for nothing. I am sure that for the sake of contrast she will not object to its anonymous reproduction here:

"Mr. Dear Mr. Dempsey: The greatest thing in the world has happened to me. I have a wonderful new son! And because I hope he will some day be strong and famous I am going to christen him Jack Dempsey. I have followed your career, and two of my brothers know you personally, and have often talked about you. So that I feel I almost know you myself, and from what I know I do not believe that you will ever do anything that will make me sorry that my own son is your namesake."

Of course, Jack Dempsey's mail is not entirely made up of love letters and mash notes. There are begging letters, charity letters, pathetic letters, friendly letters, from all over the world. There are letters from the poor and from the rich.

In the first bunch of his daily mail he ever showed me, there was one request from an Italian boy in Rome, asking for an autographed photograph, and the letter was sent "collect," with the explanation inside, in Italian, "I haven't the pennies to buy stamp."

There was a letter from a priest, asking the champion to contribute to a hospital for crippled children—one of Dempsey's favorite charities. There was a letter from a Wall Street millionaire, inviting him to lunch. And there was a letter, on Ritz note paper, from a woman, who said, among other things:

"My beautiful cave man, I want to die crushed in your powerful arms."

How Jack Dempsey has "kept his head" and retained his natural modesty in the face of the deluge of stuff of this latter sort is little short of a miracle—but every man who knows him will testify that he has—and to my mind it is one of the things that are most to his credit as a champion.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

**What happened when Jack Dempsey and Kearns bought the "Book of Etiquette?" The champion tells about it in the next chapter, and gives his own definition of what constitutes a gentleman.**

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# MAN FOODLESS IN HAY STACK FOR 38 DAYS

### "Tenderfoot," Ranch Joker's Victim, Sustains Life by Nibbling Whisps of Hay

Denver, Colo., Feb. 17.—Without food, save for wisps of hay, and without water for thirty-eight days, J. C. Taylor has been rescued from beneath a haystack on a ranch near Parker, Colo.

Weakened to a degree where no wrist pulse was to be noted, the twenty-eight-year-old "tenderfoot," who lost 100 of his 175 pounds during the ordeal, was expected to recover, physicians said.

The case, almost without parallel in medical science, has attracted the interest of Denver physicians. Taylor is being attended by Dr. F. B. Cornell of Parker, a village twenty-five miles from here.

For the first ten days, Dr. Cornell said, Taylor remained in his haystack prison during the daylight hours, venturing forth only at night to obtain some bits of food and water.

## SENATE TO HONOR LODGE ON APRIL 1

The Senate adopted on order fixing April 1 for a joint convention of the Senate and House for memorial services in honor of the late Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. The order provides that the Rt. Rev. William Lawrence be invited to deliver the memorial address.

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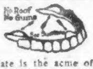

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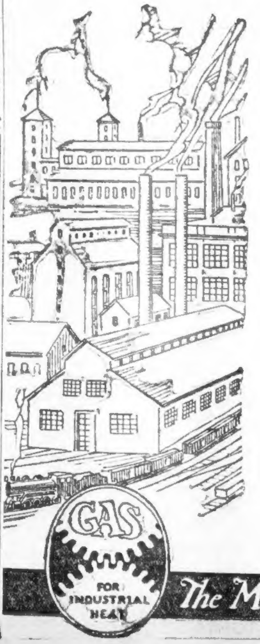

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# ELKS WELCOME EXALTED RULER TO BOSTON

### John G. Price Emphasizes the Duty of Order to Foster Americanization

Opportunity of service by Elks was stressed by Grand Exalted Ruler John G. Price of Columbus, O., at a dinner in his honor given by the Massachusetts Elks' Association at the Copley-Plaza.

Mr. Price emphasized the opportunity of service in behalf of crippled children, and the duty of Elks to foster Americanization.

He described the founding of the order, and urged his hearers not to forget the pioneer members of their own lodges.

More than 700 members of the association with women filled the ballroom where the dinner was held. Former Mayor William D. McFee of Haverhill, president of the association, was chairman, and Past Exalted Ruler John P. Driscoll of the Framingham Lodge, was toastmaster.

Attorney-General Jay R. Benton, who represented Governor Fuller, spoke of the principles of the order and pointed out how Mr. Price, former attorney-general of Ohio, exemplified them.

E. Mark Sullivan, corporation counsel of Boston, appearing for Mayor Curley, characterized the Exalted Ruler as "a model Elk," and conveyed the best wishes of Mayor and Mrs. Curley.

Mr. Price presented members of the Grand Lodge who are accompanying him on his tour of New England. They are Grand Secretary Fred C. Robinson of Dubuque, Ia., Grand Chaplain Dysart of Jamestown, N. Y., and Henry L. Kennan, chief justice of the Grand Forum of Spokane, Wash.

Dr. Lawrence Kelley, past exalted ruler of Peabody Lodge, presented Mr. Price with a mantel clock in behalf of the members of the Elks' association. The James R. Nicholson competitive trophy for ritualistic excellence was awarded to Woburn Lodge.

## Shows Remaining

MAJESTIC—"I'll Say She Is." Merry musical comedy with the Four Marx boys.

WILBUR—"Beggar on Horseback," with Roland Young. Fantastic comedy.

NEW PARK — Frank Craven in "New Brooms." Comedy built around American business methods.

COLONIAL—Ziegfeld Follies. Just another of Mr. Ziegfeld's colorful entertainments.

SHUBERT—Greenwich Village Follies. Musical revue done in the usual style of such things.

SELWYN—"White Cargo." Leon Gordon appears in his own play and makes a good job of it.

TREMONT TEMPLE — "The Lost World." Spectacular film presentation of a thrilling Conan Doyle story.

## FREDERICK C. LINSCOTT DIED TODAY AT WABAN

Frederick Charles Linscott, president and general manager of the Linscott Supply Company of Boston and prominent Mason, died today at his home in Waban, age forty-six.

Mr. Linscott was born in Jefferson, Me., and came to Boston as a young man. He was a member of the Mystic Shrine. The funeral will be held from his home at No. 12 Carleton road, Waban, at 3:15 p. m. Thursday. Automobiles will meet train at Waban leaving Boston at 2:30.

## OSCAR GUMBINSKY DIES; MILL STOCK SLUMPS

Chicago, Feb. 17—Gumbinsky, former president of the Daniel Boone Woolen Mills company, dropped dead today of heart disease. On the announcement of his death, quotations on the company's stock fell to $2.75 cents per share from $3.18.

# WAR DRAMA AT PLYMOUTH IS TAME

### "Simon Called Peter" Proves to Be Conventional Problem Play

By NICHOLAS YOUNG.

THE wages of sin, always an item of deep interest in the sociological drama of the hour, ran an easy course in "Simon Called Peter" at the Plymouth last night and failed to show anything more exciting than an illicit love tangle that developed slowly and eventually faded into one of those conventional slow curtains that gives a fetching finish to an otherwise tame evening. It was one of those affairs where sex meets sex and tragedy stalks in the background —only it doesn't.

**NOTHING SHOCKING.**

Taking his theme from Robert Keable's widely read novel, Jules Eckert Goodman turned out a play that unquestionably will arouse attention from a florid youth which pretends to relish things that are forbidden. The novel was much like that and was withheld from sale in many places of high purity. The play at the Plymouth merely ventured along skirting paths and never once got into dangerous territory.

One thing is certain, "Simon Called Peter" hardly lived up to its promise as a daring play, although it did draw an audience that not only filled all the seats but which lined up five deep in the rear of the orchestra—a pay-as-you-go tribute to evil reputation. Yet it must be admitted that the response to Peter's fall from grace was enthusiastic and apparently sincere.

Old tricks in new dress made up the action of the play. Soldiers at the front, living lightly and dangerously, played fast and loose with such feminine companionship as the French village could provide, and the chaplain, Peter Graham, after all, was just a man among men and Julie filled a very empty spot in his life. Out of that situation you got sermons filled with platitudes, arguments and contradictions, and one smashing scene when the quarters were treated to an air raid. That raid settled Peter and Julie and churchly things passed on.

**PLAY WELL CAST.**

Leonard Willey made a capital chaplain in spite of his conduct. He was a stranger in surroundings calling for poise and balance, of which he displayed an abundance. Not an inspiring character, Mr. Willey made a good job of a doubtful part. The Julie of Catherine Willard was tempered with light touches that were appealing. At times flippant, with flashes of comedy, she was still an impressive character, stronger and firmer in many respects than her clergyman lover. June Webster, as a French girl of easy habits, gave a colorful performance, and Herbert Bunston and Henry Crosby added native army flavor to the play.

As an example of the vermillion drama, "Simon Called Peter" is more of a dull pink.

## WELL-BALANCED BILL AT LOEW'S ORPHEUM

One of the best bills of the season was shown at Loew's Orpheum Theatre yesterday. The vaudeville is especially attractive, being topped by "Yarmark," a pretentious offering styled "A Night at the Carnival," featuring Theodore Stepanoff, who exhibited a marked skill in difficult dancing. Surrounding this big act appeared Emerson and Baldwin, who shared in a generous amount of the day's plaudits in a clever comedy skit; Robinson, Janis and company in a comedy episode entitled "The Woman Pays"; Bob Murphy and partner in "Combining Business with Pleasure"; Smith and Cantor in "The Impossibilities of 1925," and Jean and Jacques, in a "Seashore Flirtation."

The outstanding feature of the films on the bill is furnished by "The Devil's Cargo," shown for the first time in this city. The picture depicts a powerful drama of the romantic gold-rush days of California. Wallace Beery, Pauline Starke, Claire Adams and William Collier, Jr., appear in the principal roles.

## "EXPRESSING WILLIE" OPENS AT ST. JAMES

"Expressing Willie," an amusing comedy by Rachel Crothers, recently played at a down-town theatre, was presented at the St. James Theatre last evening.

The story has to do with Willie Smith, son of a tooth paste king worth millions. His shrewd Yankee mother sees him fall under the spell of a group of cheating self-expressionists and endeavors to save him by inviting his small town sweetheart, Minnie Whitcomb, to visit him in his Italian villa on Long Island.

Minnie, his old-fashioned girl, and the self-expressionists, with their modern ideas, are guests over the same week-end. Willie fortunately discovers Minnie's worth in time to save himself and bankroll.

Bernard Nedell gave an excellent portrayal of Willie, and Elsie Hitz that of Minnie. Others in the cast were Anna Layng, Olive Blakeney, John Collier, Houston Richards and Roberta Lee Clar.

The play provides capital parts for a stock company.

# BIG AUDIENCE CHARMED BY PETER PAN

### Marilyn Miller Scores Hit as Boy in Barrie's Fairy Tale at Tremont

Marilyn Miller, with a splendid supporting cast, brought Peter Pan back to Boston last night, at the Tremont Theatre. The production was an artistic triumph, acting and stage setting bringing out perfectly the remarkable imaginative effects that James Barrie created when he wrote this greatest of modern fairy tales. A large audience, slow at first to warm up, as is natural at a production of the kind, was carried right back to childhood days as the performance wore on, and was enthusiastic at the end. Peter Pan is a whimsical breath from the past, and the company lived up to the play, which is all that could be said.

Miss Miller, favorite here previously as star and dancer in musical comedy parts, was delightfully elfin as Peter Pan, the boy who never grew up. She is dainty as as ever, the same graceful dancer, as joyous and carefree in her acting as the little lost boy from "Never, Never Land," she portrayed. Her work in the childishly tragic scenes was just as remarkable as her lighter efforts.

Miss Miller was the star, but she needed all her talent and stage genius, to stand out above the rest of the company. Leslie Banks gave a splendid rendition as Captain Hook of the Pirates, and he had a bangup band of buccaneers under his command.

The children were a delightful group, from little Michael, Olive Behrens, to Wendy, Dorothy Hope, who mothered them, and Slightly, Donald Searle, the oldest of them. There was an exuberant youthfulness about them that proved they took to heart the author's instructions: "The actors in a fairy play should feel that it was written by a child in all earnestness and that they are children playing it in the same spirit."

Nana, the ridiculous dog nurse, was a real laugh provoker, the crocodile, ostrich, and wolves were the weird animals of a young mind. The illusions of the flying children, of fairyland, were splendidly carried through, and the play moved from start to finish without a flaw.

It is a performance that will delight any imaginative youngster, and bring any grown up back for a few hours to the forgotten days of dreams.

## 1,500 at Benefit

Fifteen hundred persons crowded into Roughan Hall, Charlestown, at the testimonial and benefit to Thomas P. Horty by the Boston Mailers' Benefit Association. "Tom" Horty has been in poor health for three years and unable to work.

## Week's Features

LANCASTER—"Tess of the D'Urbervilles" and "Broken Laws." Beginning tomorrow, "Love's Wilderness" and "The Triflers." Kahakalau's Hawaiian orchestra all week.

BOSTON—James Kirkwood and Madge Bellamy in "Secrets of the Night." Vaudeville.

GAYETY—(Burlesque) "Wine, Woman and Song," with Gertrude Ralston.

HOWARD—(Burlesque) "Round the Town," with Pat White; vaudeville and pictures.

BOWDOIN SQ.—"The Lighthouse by the Sea," "The Bridge of Sighs" and "Galloping Hoofs." Vaudeville.

CAPITOL—"As Man Desires," with Milton Sills and Viola Dana, and "Enticement."

MODERN—"Salome of the Tenements," with Jetta Goudol, and "The Parasites."

CASINO—(Burlesque) — "Stop and Go," with John Barry.

ALLSTON—"A Cafe in Cairo" and "A Lost Lady." Beginning Thursday, "The Bridge of Sighs" and "Youth for Sale."

CENTRAL SQ.—"The Golden Bed," with Lillian Rich. Beginning Thursday, "The Lighthouse by the Sea." Vaudeville all week.

OLYMPIA—"If I Marry Again," with Doris Kenyon, Lloyd Hughes and Hobart Bosworth. Vaudeville.

SCOLLAY SQ. — "One Glorious Night," with Elaine Hammerstein. Vaudeville.

STRAND—"Love's Wilderness" and "Greater Than Marriage." Beginning Thursday, "Miss Bluebeard" and "A Lost Lady."

CODMAN SQ.—"Wages of Virtue," with Gloria Swanson. Beginning Thusday, "Inez from Hollywood." Vaudeville.

BEACON—"Salome of the Tenements," with Jetta Goudol, and "The Parasites."

FIELDS CORNER—"The Triflers" and "The Beautiful Sinner" on Wednesday and Thursday, and "Inez from Hollywood" and "Turned Up" on Friday and Saturday.

EXETER—Marion Davies in "Janice Meredith." Beginning Thursday, "As Man Desires," and "Enticement."

## "PLEASE GET MARRIED" AT SOMERVILLE THEATRE

Abundant laughter is furnished in "Please Get Married," admirably presented by the Somerville Theatre Players last evening. The piece enjoyed a long metropolitan engagement, and the reason for its success was clearly manifested by its daring plot, snappy action and breezy dialogue.

The story centers around a young bridegroom and a newly wedded bride who have frustrated a parent's opposition by being married by a burglar masquerading as one whom the couple believe to be the genuine article. They become involved in all sorts of difficulties, which result in a succession of laughs during the three acts in which the story is told. In several instances the piece ventures on thin ice.

# PATHOS MIXED WITH HUMOR IN 'THE SWAN'

### Curtain Calls Frequent at Well Acted Molnar Comedy at Hollis

An absorbing love story that tugs at one's heartstrings until delicious humor comes to relieve eyes that are moist—briefly that's "The Swan," opening last night at the Hollis.

Add to the talented acting of a large cast that never relaxes for nearly three hours and it is easy to understand why Ferenc Molnar's comedy ran for a whole season in New York.

It only goes to prove that such a marvelous blending of theme and talent is bound to succeed be it in song, story or play. The heart appeal is universal and it finds an expression in the "The Swan" that reach from the most exacting to the easily satisfied.

**IS REAL PRINCESS.**

Quite justly is Eva le Galliene the star of this distinct achievement, which although written for European audiences and necessarily suffering some in translation is nevertheless no less appealing to Americans.

Miss le Galliene as the Royal heroine of the comedy gives the most democratic of us our ideal of what a princess should be in grace and dignity. From the moment she moves onto the stage she is followed with sympathetic interest that never wanes.

And when at the close of the second act comes that wonderful scene in which she reveals how rank and position have been crumpled by the blazing passion of the royal household's tutor's love for her—well, when a Hollis Theatre audience calls for at least fifteen curtains one can visualize how gripping it must have been.

**ALL REAL ACTORS.**

Basil Rathbone as the tutor of lowly birth yet far more cultured than his royal employers was a fitting companion to Miss La Galliene. To watch the rising fervor of the tutor's long-concealed love defeat the supression of the princess' own affection was a treat in histrionics.

For that matter all of the principals are real actors—one of the best ensembles seen here for many a day.

## PREMIERE OF 'THE DIXIE HANDICAP' AT STATE

Thrills, comedy and beauty are the elements that are provided in "The Dixie Handicap," shown for the first time in Boston at Loew's State Theatre yesterday. The picture races to the tune of galloping hoofs and beating hearts and smacks with romance of old Kentucky. It is a story of horse-racing with a strong dash of romance added, culminating in the running of the Latonia stakes, which furnishes one of the most exciting scenes witnessed in a long time.

Reginald Barker has given the picture flawless direction, while the leading roles are cleverly portrayed by Claire Windsor, as the southern daughter of culture; Frank Keenan, as the judge, and Lloyd Hughes, as Johnny Sheridan.

A Mack Sennett comedy entitled "Honeymoon Hardships" furnished many genuine laughs and proved an excellent companion picture.

## Coming Events

Thomas Meighan in "Coming Through" will be the film feature at the Fenway beginning next Saturday.

Eddie Cantor in "Kid Boots" will move into the Colonial next Monday evening.

"The Deep Purple" will be the attraction at the St. James for a week beginning next Monday.

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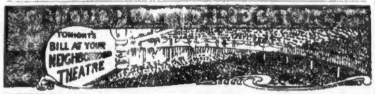

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GORDON'S ALLSTON THEATRE — PRISCILLA DEAN in "A Cafe in Cairo" IRENE RICH in "A LOST LADY" Every Mon. Eve., Opportunity Nite

(SO.) BOSTON

BROADWAY So. Boston — ANTONIO MORENO in "THE BORDER LEGION" Comedy, News, Vaudeville

CAMBRIDGE

GORDON'S CENTRAL SQ. CAMBRIDGE — Rod LaRocque-Lillian Rich in "THE GOLDEN BED" 5 VAUDEVILLE ACTS Sunday, Vaudeville & Pictures

GORDON'S HARVARD NO. CAMBRIDGE — HAROLD LLOYD in "HOT WATER" Beverly Bayne-Elliott Dexter in "The Age of Innocence"

DORCHESTER

DORCHESTER — "The Man Who Came Back" with Geo. O'Brien, "ALONG CAME RUTH" with VIOLA DANA Sam Cohen's Amateurs Tonite

FRANKLIN PARK — "JANICE MEREDITH" with Marion Davies Added Attraction Star Cast in "YOUTH FOR SALE"

GORDON'S STRAND UPHAM'S COR. — CORRINE GRIFFITH in "[illegible]" Lou Tellegen-Marjorie Daw in "Greater Than Marriage"

GORDON'S CODMAN SQUARE — GLORIA SWANSON —in— "WAGES OF VIRTUE" Also 4 Big Vaudeville Acts

GORDON'S FIELD'S CORNER — ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN in "The Midnight Express" —Also— "The Age of Innocence" Mon. Eve., Opportunity Night

HAMILTON — "THE COVERED WAGON" Cartoon and News

EVERETT

Rialto — "INEZ FROM HOLLYWOOD" with LEWIS STONE and ANNA Q. NILSSON "THE FIGHTING FURY" with JACK HOXIE

JAMAICA PLAIN

JAMAICA THEATRE — TOM MIX in "TEETH" AGNES AYRES in "TOMORROW'S LOVE"

MALDEN

STRAND — MRS. WALLACE REID in "Broken Laws" 4 VAUDEVILLE ACTS Direct From New York

MATTAPAN

ANDERSENS MATTAPAN SQ — "SINNERS IN SILK" With STAR CAST BEN TURPIN in "The Wild Goose Chaser" OTHER FEATURES FREE AUTO PARKING

MEDFORD

MEDFORD MEDFORD — "The Golden Bed" Other Features

FELLSWAY — HAROLD LLOYD in "HOT WATER" SHIRLEY MASON in "The Great Diamond Mystery"

ROSLINDALE

GORMAN'S THEATRE — LON CHANEY in "THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME" OTHER FEATURES

ROXBURY

DUDLEY — MILTON SILLS in "The Sea Hawk" Comedy News Novelties

SOMERVILLE

HAROLD LLOYD in "HOT WATER" "GAMBLING WIVES" With WARD CRANE and MARJORIE DAW

GORDON'S UNION SQ. SOMERVILLE — OWEN MOORE in "TORMENT" Matt Moore-Dorothy Devore in "The Narrow Street"

LOEWS OLYMPIA — "CARNIVAL" with MATHESON LANG "Don't Doubt Your Husband" With VIOLA DANA

TEELE SQ SOMERVILLE — "SINNERS IN SILK" With ELEANOR BOARDMAN "The Girl on the Stairs" with PATSY RUTH MILLER

WINTER HILL SOMERVILLE — "THE MAN ALONE" With HOBART BOSWORTH "The Red Lily" with Ramon Novarro, Enid Bennett

WATERTOWN

STRAND WATERTOWN — "THAT FRENCH LADY" With SHIRLEY MASON "AFTER A MILLION" With KENNETH MacDONALD JAX-AD-SHOW TONITE

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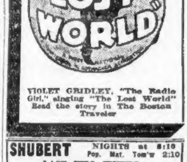

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SHUBERT NIGHTS at 8:10 Pop. Mat. Tom'w 2:10
LAST TWO WEEKS
GREENWICH VILLAGE FOLLIES
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NEXT MON. — SEATS NOW
Ziegfeld's Greatest Musical Comedy
EDDIE CANTOR in KID BOOTS With MARY EATON

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A Metro-Goldwyn picture
"THE DIXIE HANDICAP"
A Romance of the Turf, with CLAIRE WINDSOR—FRANK KEENAN—LLOYD HUGHES
MACK SENNETT COMEDY "Honeymoon Hardships" Other Films

SHUBERT WILBUR EVES. at 8:25 POP. $2 MAT. TOM'W at 2:25
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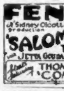
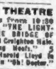


FENWAY
A Sidney Olcott Production
'SALOME OF THE TENEMENTS' with JETTA GOUDAL-GODFREY TEARLE
THOMAS MEIGHAN in 'COMING THROUGH'



BOWDOIN SQUARE THEATRE Continuous from 10:30
RIN-TIN-TIN, the wonder dog, in "THE LIGHTHOUSE BY THE SEA," also "THE BRIDGE OF SIGHS" with Dorothy Mackaill and Creighton Hale. Also Latest Comedy and "Galloping Hoofs." 5 VAUDEVILLE ACTS. Next Week—Harold Lloyd in "Hot Water" and Reginald Denny in "Oh! Doctor."

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THE AMUSEMENT CENTRE OF BOSTON
Week of Feb. 16 at 2 & 8. Beach 1724

| MAT. | Order of Appearance | EVE. |
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| 2:18 | La Pilarica Trio | 8:18 |
| 2:21 | Espe & Dutton | 8:21 |
| 2:36 | Pepito the Spanish Clown | 8:36 |
| 2:52 | Mr. & Mrs. JIMMY BARRY | 8:52 |
| 3:14 | DOROTHY JARDON | 9:14 |
| 3:37 | HERMAN TIMBERG | 9:37 |
| 3:56 | "THE REBELLION" with Sammy Timberg | 9:56 |
| 4:20 | MARY HAYNES | 10:20 |
| 4:35 | Mankin | 10:35 |

Next Week: Pat Rooney. 2 Shows Feb. 23

LOEW'S ORPHEUM
Continuous 9:15 A. M. to 10:30 P. M.
A Paramount Picture
THE DEVIL'S CARGO
With PAULINE STARKE WALLACE BEERY—CLAIRE ADAMS
VAUDEVILLE HEADED BY
"YARMARK" Featuring THEODORE STEPANOFF
Other Acts
Next Week Famous SAN ANTONIO Siamese Twins

MODERN & BEACON
SAME PROGRAM AT BOTH THEATRES
The PARASITE with OWEN MOORE MADGE BELLAMY BRYANT WASHBURN
SALOME OF THE TENEMENTS A Paramount Picture

TREMONT EVES. at 8:15 MAT. TOM'W, 2:15
ENGAGEMENT FOR 3 WEEKS ONLY
MARILYN MILLER
In Sir James Barrie's Famous Fantasy PETER PAN

HOLLIS EVES. at 8:15 MAT. TOM'W
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"TESS OF THE D'URBERVILLES"
BLANCHE SWEET—CONRAD NAGEL
"BROKEN LAWS"
MRS. WALLACE REID
Kahakalau's Hawaiian Orchestra

GAYETY TWICE DAILY 2:10 & 8:10
BURLESQUE and VAUDEVILLE
WINE, WOMAN AND SONG

# FOUR ARRESTED IN SHOT-TORN AUTOMOBILE

An automobile, with four bullet holes in the radiator and the hood badly dented and the windshield smashed, led to the arrest early today of four men in the Court garage on Arlington street.

Frank Ferra, 27 years old, of No. 20 Fleet street, North End, and Jerry Longobardi, 35 years old, of No. 119 Hemenway street, Back Bay, are held by the police of the Lagrange street station charged with having firearms in their possession. Filipo Arrigo and Paolo Paguotto, arrested with them, will be released.

The auto, according to the police, was returned to the garage Sunday night. Its condition was reported to Captain Goodwin of the Lagrange street station, who detailed Patrolmen McCarhy and Cusick at the garage in civilian clothes to await the owners.

As the policemen were concealed in the garage early today, three of the men entered and began inspecting the machine. Patrolman Cusick stepped from his hiding place and arrested the men. At that instant, Ferra entered, and seeing the plight of his companions, drew a gun, according to the police.

Patrolman McCarthy, who was in hiding behind Ferra stepped out with drawn revolver, ordered the man to drop his revolver, which he did. Ferra claimed strangers shot at the auto near Worcester.

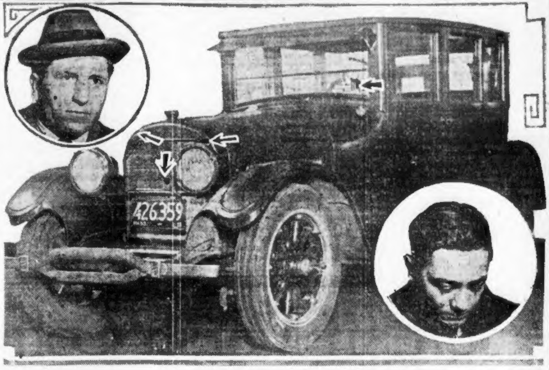
Another revolver was found on Longabardi, the police said.

According to the story told to the police by Longabardi and Ferra, they were returning from Worcester Sunday night when they neared the Mansion Inn a passing sedan opened fire on them. Longabardi was cut on the hand by a piece of glass from the windshield, he told the police.

The men could not explain why they should have been fired upon.

The pair cleared Arrizo and Pagnotta when they said the two latter were not with them on the Sunday ride, but had only come down to the garage to look at the machine at Ferra's request.

## SHOT-RIDDLED AUTO SEIZED



With several bullet holes in the radiator and hood, this auto was seized by police in an Arlington street garage with four men, one of whom, Frank Ferra (at top) is accused of drawing a gun. At lower right, Jerry Longabardi, one of the other prisoners who is said by police to be under bail on a charge of manslaughter.

## CAN'T REMEMBER 32 YEARS OF HIS LIFE

Salisbury, Md., Feb. 17.—Efforts were made today to check up on the strange case of Matthias Marshall, who wandered back to his boyhood home near here last Friday after having been missing for thirty-two years, while a fortune had been spent in searching for him. Matthias, who at eighteen became mentally unbalanced after a blighted romance, was unable to throw any light on his career since he was committed to an institution at Catonsville, Md., in 1823, and from which he later escaped. He is unable to recall a single incident in his life during the last thirty-two years.

# URGES CONTROL OF FIRMS GIVING AUTO SERVICE

Charges that foreign residents of this State by the thousands are being swindled by agents of so-called automobile service companies were made today by Representative Alfred N. LaBrecque of Quincy.

They were made when he introduced a bill registering companies engaged in issuing contracts for legal services to operators of motor vehicles and placing them under the jurisdiction of the insurance commissioner. The bill would also provide that they be bonded for $25,000 and that their agents be licensed.

Representative LaBrecque pointed out he cast no reflections on legitimate liability insurance companies, his efforts being directed at fly-by-night organizations.

"Agents of these companies," he said, "who are soliciting business, say they are selling liability, property damage and collision insurance. They are not.

"The average citizen does not read his insurance policy. It is easy for these crooks to swindle foreigners.

"In Quincy over $10,000 has been taken from foreigners by these companies. I know of scores from Stoughton, Braintree, Weymouth, Randolph and other South Shore towns who have been swindled.

"Only yesterday a salesman for one of these automobile service companies was sentenced for larceny. He was rearrested by the Natick police and Inspector John J. Avery of Quincy has a warrant for his arrest."

# HUNT BAND OF FIREBUGS IN NEWTON

Newton police were today searching for a band of firebugs, following the third incendiary fire in that city within a week.

The latest blaze was in the unoccupied two-story wooden dwelling in the rear of No. 69 Cherry street, owned by Thomas Joyce of Moody street, Waltham.

The house, which has been unoccupied since last Summer, was almost totally destroyed, the loss being estimated at several thousand dollars.

According to fire department officials, it has been used as a resort by young men, and was set afire by them once before, shortly after Christmas.

J. F. Ellis, who lives next door, reported seeing a group of youths hanging about the Joyce house last night.

Last Friday night, an incendiary fire caused damage estimated at $15,000 in the home of Mrs. Helen W. Robinson, No. 376 Laxington street during the absence of the owner in California. The firemen found two separate fires in progress when they arrived.

On Saturday night a suspicious blaze was discovered in the house at No. 56 Dalby street, owned by Charles Frazier of Boston, and occupied by Albert Frazier, his wife, two children and two women, Olivia Gergero and Albina Roseau.

The occupants, who were asleep, the fire having started about midnight, were rescued by firemen. damage of $2,000 was caused.

## Promontory Disappears

Neustettin, Germany, Feb. 17.—A promontory projecting into Lake Pielburg and covering one and one-quarter acres has suddenly disappeared. The cause is unknown.

## Weds Son of Ex-Envoy

London, Feb. 17 (I.N.S.).—Miss Marion Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell of Birmingham, Ala., and Ivan Stancioff, son of the former Bulgarian Ambassador to London, were married just before noon today at Brompton Oratory.

# BITTER SCHOOL FIGHT SPLITS SALEM

Salem, Feb. 17.—As warm a political fight as New England can produce, into which religious prejudice is copiously injected, looms in this historic town, with the first salvo already heard.

Trailing behind the outbreak of hostilities occasioned by Miss Anna Fessenden's charges that unfit teachers were being appointed in the public schools, through religious considerations, runs a high tide of bitterness dividing the town into two distinct camps.

On one side are Miss Anna Fessenden, prominent civic worker, Judge Robert Hill and a distinguished citizen making public charges under the pseudonym of "Hickory Stick." Many representatives of the old Salem families are lined up in this faction.

**CHARGE SECRET VOTE.**

Opposed to them are several members of the school committee who are charged with secretly voting in school teachers not recommended by the superintendent or approved by Mayor Bates.

An invitation to speak in the local schools was recently withdrawn from Judge Hill by School Committeemen Wallace Gifford and John Gray until the judge should make a written apology for uncomplimentary remarks about the school committee.

Judge Hill, at a recent banquet, declared he had been a member of the school committee when it had been "respectable."

Committeemen Gifford and Gray both charge the opposing faction with "harboring bigotry against the numerous Irish Catholic population."

"It is religious prejudice, pure and simple," says Gifford, "which is actuating this group who are fanning the flames of long-dead racial feelings.

**"RELIGIOUS PREJUDICE."**

"There has been a steady hostility towards the Catholic members of the city government on the part of some of these so-called first families."

"Old Hickory"—that being the pen-name of the prime mover of the old Salem group—recently declared that he depended upon his wife's judgment in arriving at solutions of political problems, and that "Maud comes from Vermont, where Coolidge came from, and thinks a lot of him."

Miss Fessenden announced today that she was quite willing to back up her charges that local school teachers were "undignified, unmannerly and unable to speak English correctly."

**LIKENED TO BOSTON.**

"Boston politics are as badly off as we are down here," says Miss Fessenden. "A certain racial group is playing politics with city government.

"I have no animus whatever against Catholics. A small percentage of them, however, representing one racial group, put the great bulk of their fellows in an unfavorable light.

"Just as a few drunken, reckless drivers put all motorists under odium, so a small percentage of Catholics put their co-religionists, representing vastly differently groups, into a similar position.

"But I am not taking issue with the Catholics at all. I am only concerned with those few Catholics who are no ornament to their church."

## R. H. WHITE CO. ELECTS SARGENT A DIRECTOR

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of R. H. White Company held there was one change in the Board of Directors. Arthur H. Sargent, Jr., was elected to fill the one existing vacancy. The directors re-elected were George B. Johnson, Maurice A. McBride, Gilbert R. Noyes, Herbert R. Russell, and F. W. Tully. George B. Johnson was re-elected president; Maurice A. McBride, vice-president; Arthur J. Kelly, treasurer and Samuel A. Carr, clerk of the corporation.

## U. S. FLIERS "BOMB" STRAITS OF MACKINAC

Camp Skeel, Osgoda, Mich., Feb. 17.—Fliers of the pursuit group of United States army took off today to bomb the Straits of Mackinac as the tactical problem of their mimic warfare.

Seven pursuit planes left shortly after 8 a. m., for a 120-mile flight to the straits. The problem is to check the advance of an imaginary enemy seeking to invade the lower peninsular of Michigan by crossing the Great Lakes barrier of the straits.

## CHARLES PONZI IS ON TRIAL ONCE MORE

Charles Ponzi, under several indictments for larceny in connection with his get-rich-quick foreign exchange scheme, went on trial this afternoon before Judge Sisk in Superior Criminal Court.

Because a jury disagreed in a previous trial on an indictment containing numerous counts, it was decided today to try Ponzi on charges in an indictment of only one or two counts.

## 3 CHILDREN DROWN PLAYING IN CREEK

Sandy Lake, Pa., Feb. 17.—Three small children of Mr. and Mrs. Steven Safran, living near here, were drowned while playing along Sandy Creek, swollen by recent rains and thaws. The bodies of Stanley, six, and Matthew, three, were recovered.

## SECOND INCOMPLETE JINGLE IN PRIZE SERIES

### CLIP OUT, FILL IN AND MAIL

"Last Line" Limerick No. 2
Published Tuesday, February 17, 1925

*A jolly old sailor named Fee,*
*Was drinking a scuttle of tea,*
*"That's splendid," he cried,*
*But Oh, how he lied,*

.............................................................
(Write your last line here.)

Name ..........................................................

Street ..........................................................

City ..........................................................

# LIMERICKS

Continued from First Page.

plete limerick. All asked of you is to fill in the missing line. And for that missing line you will receive $25.

Surely that ought to be a snap to any of you. All required is that ONE LINE, a line that is in the right meter, funny, if you make it so, and is in keeping with the rest of the limerick; a line that rhymes with and brings to a happy conclusion the limerick supplied you. Nothing difficult about that?

Most of you have found writing jingles the easiest thing in the world. Every one should find it simple to strike off that missing "last line."

Jot down that clever last line that comes to mind and send it in to the Limerick Editor at once.

You don't have to be a Longfellow or Whittier to get your hand in the daily $40 pot. You all have the stuff in you. Now, let it come out. There's a lot of talent stored up in us, if only given the chance.

Chuckles and laughs galore are in store for the regular participants in this tip-top game.

Remember everybody is eligible in this enthralling, intriguing pastime. A happy thought, a pencil and a stamped envelope are all required in this profitable game.

You are given three days to get the day's filled-in limerick to the contest editor. A week after publication the list of the winners will be posted and the distribution of the day's coin will be made as follows:

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| First prize | $25 |
| Fifteen $1 awards | 15 |
| Daily total | $40 |

**RULES OF CONTEST.**

1. Three days will be allowed contestants. Last lines for the limerick published in Tuesday's Boston Evening American must be received not later than Thursday midnight or bear a postmark showing deposit before Wednesday midnight, and thereafter all "last lines" must be in the hands of the judges not later than midnight of the second day after publication.

2. Everybody is eligible to this open competition with the exception of Hearst employes and members of their families.

3. Each contribution must be accompanied by blank form containing name and address of contributor.

4. The judges will not consider more than seven "Last Lines" of any one limerick from any one person.

5. Winners will be posted a week later than date of limerick's publication.

6. Answers must be mailed in sealed envelopes, with notation in lower left-hand corner: "Answer to Limerick No. 1," or whatever number you are competing for. This rule must be complied with.

7. Judges will be the editors of the Boston Evening American, who will pass on each last line solely on its merits as a fitting completion of a limerick. It is hereby agreed that the contestants abide by the decision of the judges as to prize-winners as final.

8. All last lines must be addressed to the "LIMERICK CONTEST EDITOR, BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN, WINTHROP SQUARE, BOSTON, MASS."

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THE time to stop a cold is in the beginning—at the first sign of its coming. A cold always warns you, so it's folly not to act.

Millions immediately take hot lemonade, then promptly go to bed under warm covers.

In nine cases out of ten all traces of the cold have disappeared when morning comes—all the uncomfortable, devitalizing chill and ache.

"Flu," pneumonia, and other serious consequences are frequently prevented.

Thus, you save whole days of sickness, and their cost.

The cheapest, easiest and safest way to treat a cold is to get it when it starts.

It is worth while, therefore, to have lemons handy for the best preventive that millions know—hot lemonade.

Just squeeze the juice of a lemon in glass or cup of hot water. The effectiveness of hot lemonade is due to *more* than its heat. Add sugar if you wish.

Get a dozen lemons now and be prepared. Ask for California lemons, the tart, juicy, practically seedless kind. They make the most effective lemonade for colds.

A Sweet Breath at all times!

After eating or smoking Wrigley's freshens the mouth and sweetens the breath

So easy to carry the little packet in your pocket! So important to have when the mouth needs cleansing and freshening!

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# CHECKER TAXI TO EXTEND ITS SAFETY DRIVE

### Bonus to Chauffeurs Not Considered Enough to Insure 100 P. C. Efficiency

Bonuses totalling $100 are being distributed each wek to Checker taxicab drivers as part of the Checker Taxi Company safety campaign. It was announced today by the concern.

The campaign was inaugurated several days ago, and has for its aim a reduction in the number of injury and death victims through auto accidents.

Still not satisfied that all has been done in the way of safety, however, Frank Sawyer, president of the concern, and J. R. Clair, the Checker's newly appointed director of safety, are considering still other plans in an effort to improve the system until 100 per cent. safety efficiency has been secured.

The co-operation of parents, teachers' clubs, mothers, clubs and organizations of every variety is asked by the Checker company in its campaign.

As part of the drive, Safety Director Clair is prepared to address gatherings at these clubs or socials or school classes on care and the look necessary before the leap.

Approval and ndorsement of the public safety plan have been received by the taxi officials from scores of public officials, including Secretary Herbert Hoover, Governor Fullr, Mayor Curley, Police Commissioner Wilson, Police Superintendent Crowley and Registrar of Motor Vehicles Goodwin.

## MOONSHINERS FACE LIFE TERMS FOR HOAXING U. S.

St. Paul, Feb. 17.—Three brothers who sought to play a joke on the government by changing names and then sending the wrong man to jail in connection with a liquor convicition are facing indeterminate sentences that could run up to life imprisonment. Federal agents raided the Lichy found and found a moonshine plant. Anton Lichy, only one of three brothers at home, gave his name as Richard Lichy. In court Anton, posing as Richard, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three month sin jail. A stay of thirty days was granted and then George Lichy reported to the sheriff as Richard and began serving the sentence. A lettr telling of the "joke" came into the sheriff's hands. Contempt warrants followed.

## MORE NEWSPAPERS IN ITALY SUPPRESSED

Rome, Feb. 17 (I.N.S.)—A new wave of newspaper suppression swept Italy today. At Bologna Fascisti attacked the office of Resto Del Carlino because the editor had ceased to be a Fascist. Police opposed the raid and ten persons were wounded. The Corriore Della Sera, at Milan, was suppressed. It was one of Italy's foremost newspapers. Three Rome daily papers stopped publication. It was charged they printed events of the municipal election furnished by the opposition leader, Amendola.

# SURPRISES IN CHECKERBOARD CROSSWORDS

### But They're the Kind That Make Puzzle Comparatively Easy

Observe the difference in the make-up of the checkerboard offered you in the Daily Crossword Puzzle Contest?

Just chuck full of valuable information, words you should have in your vocabulary and somewhat tricky surprises. But don't let them get the better of you. They shouldn't if you work the checkerboard systematically.

The best way to solve this crossword puzzle is to run over the list of horizontal and vertical synonyms in search of evident or "easy" words. Fill the blanks and then start upon the more difficult references.

No long waiting for the end of the series. Just one puzzle and off it goes to the contest editor. Two days to get it into the editor's hands. And then two days more for the announcement of the prize winners.

A single heat means $5 to you. In other words, solve today's puzzle and mail in your ticket for a winged victory. The next five in line will come in for a dollar each. There's no limit to the number of prizes you may win a week.

Remember the daily series do not call for an accompanying letter. Just solve the day's puzzle, and, if convenient, paste your solution on a sheet of writing paper, with the adjoining blank, and mail it at once to the Daily Crossword Puzzle Editor.

Neatness and legibility and accuracy of solution are the only telling points in this daily mental dash.

You have until the close of business Thursday to get today's witfest to the Boston American, or the envelope containing it must bear a postmark showing it was mailed before Wednesday midnight. A week hence the winner of the $5 capital prize and the quintette of $1 crossword puzzle sharps will be announced.

## WILLIMANTIC MILL HELP THREATEN STRIKE

Willimantic, Ct., Feb. 17.—Employes of the local mills of the American Thread Company, said to number about onesixth of the workers, met last night ad discussed a 10 per cent. reduction in wages imposed on January 12. The meeting, it was stated, voted in favor of a strike if a demand for restoration of the former wages was denied by the company. A committee was employed by the meeting to wait on the company today and it was announced that Agent Don H. Curtis had granted their requests for a conference to be held tonight to discuss the matter.

## COOLIDGE AIDS TRESCA; PENALTY TOO SEVERE

Washington, Feb. 17.—Carlo Tresca, publisher of a New York Italian newspaper, convicted of publishhing an advertisement for a birth control book, will be released from Atlanta penitentiary May 17 under a commutation by President Coolidge. The Department of Justice recommended commutation, taking the position that Tresca's sentence of a year and a day was excessive punishment.

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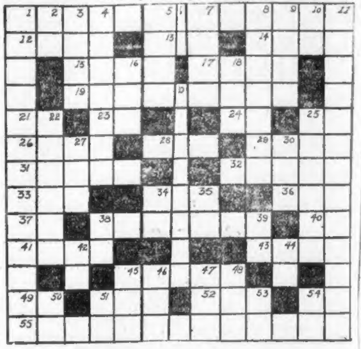
# DAILY PRIZE X-WORD

—No. 2, Tuesday, Feb. 17—



DAILY PRIZE PUZZLE No. 2

NAME ....................................................

STREET ....................................................

TOWN OR CITY ....................................................

**This coupon MUST be sent in with puzzle solution. Address all replies to the Daily Crossword Puzzle Editor, Boston American, No. 5 Winthrop Square, Boston (8), Mass.**

# TEL. CO. SAVES MILLIONS BY NEW CABLES

A new kind of problem for tired crossword fans to figure out came to light today at the hearing before the State Board of Public Utilities where the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company seeks higher phone rates.

As an argument for higher rates, the telephone company's attorney brought out from a witness the fact that the company has saved $9,689,000 through the use of a new kind of fin cable wire.

That's the problem to figue out. The telephone company has saved all that money, therefore it needs more money from subscribers.

George K. Mason, chief engineer for the company, was the witness who testified to the huge saving. Under questioning by Ralph Stewart, attorney for the N. E. Tel & Tel. Co., the engineer testified that the fine, twenty-four-inch gauge wire, a recent product, had saved the company $6,324,000 in Massachusetts alone, with 17,717,000 feet of the wire laid in the Bay State.

Throughout all of the company territory, a total of 29,000,000 feet has been laid.

## WASHINGTON WATCHES FRENCH FRANC CRISIS

Washington, Feb. 17 (I.N.S.).—The serious financial situation confronting the French government, which may cause the early Fall of the Herriot Ministry, is being watched in Washington because of the bearing it must have on the war debt controversy. There exists no very great sympathy for France, as she has balanced her budget by continual loans instead of by domestic taxation.

## W. VIRGINIA TROOPERS PROBE MINE BOMBINGS

Phillippi, W. Va., Feb. 17.—Two dynamitings at the Morral Mine of the Bar-J Coal Company were being investigated today by the State troopers, on duty in this field since several companies announced they would operate non-union.

On eexplosion last night damaged the home of George Austin, general manager and part owner of the company. Later a blast rocked the home of a ono-union miner.

## LANDS RUM ONLY TO BE ROBBED BY HI-JACKERS

Providence, Feb. 12.—After running a gauntlet of Coast Guard cutters between Rum Row, southeast of Block sland, to a point near Warwick Lights, a local bootlegger unloaded his cargo of whiskey, valued at more than $5,000 early this morning, only to lose it to a gang of hijackers. Gun play featured the holdup, and it was reported that one of the hijackers was wounded.

## GERMANY AND RUMANIA NEAR BREAKING POINT

Berlin, Feb. 17 (I.N.S.).—Diplomatic tension between Germany and Rumania was near the breaking point today, it was said in diplomatic circles. Rumania has been deporting scores of Germans. The German government has threatened reprisals.

## Famous Oculist Dies

Berlin, Feb. 17.—Dr. Julius Hischberg of Berlin University, dean of German occulists, died today, aged eighty-two. Through introduction of the electro-magnet he rescued many patients from blindness.

### HORIZONTALS.

1—one of the books of the Bible.
12—actual existence.
[illegible] good (prefix).
14—silent.
15—ceremony.
17—condemn.
[illegible] of a spider.
21—relating to.
23—written afterthought (abbr).
24—man's title (abbr).
25—afternoon (abbr).
26—back of neck.
28—wrath.
29—auction.
31—a Persian poet (poss.).
32—a number.
33—mingle
34—three gases of the air (chemical symbols).
36—corrode
37—name of a consonant
38—raze.
40—tantalum (abbr).
41—brood.
43—remainder.
45—spruce tree.
49—mythological character.
51—equal (prefix).
52—a gentle blow.
54—account of (abbr).
55—attestation.

### VERTICALS.

1—pertaining to a branch of mathematics.
2—personal pronoun.
3—organs of hearing.
4—kind of footwear.
5—so be it.
6—a note of the diatonic scale.
7—ancient (old spelling)
8—dip
9—a blood relation.
10—part of Bible (abbr).
11—accumulation of sediment.
16—affirmation (poet.).
18—end of a yard (naut.).
20—opiate.
22—destitution
25—folds
27—peace (Latin)
30—salutation (Latin).
34—Canadian province (abbr).
35—part of Congress (abbr).
38—fraction of a meter (abbr).
39—twelve-month (abbr).
42—part of verb "to be."
44—eve (Scot.).
45—Greek letter.
46—Independent Order of Foresters (abbr).
47—and so forth (abbr).
48—triple vowel.
50—diphthong.
51—pronoun.
53—four gills (abbr).
54—account of (abbr).

## COHASSET K. OF C. TO HOLD "LADIES' NIGHT"

Clarice Wentworth

"Ladies' Night," under the auspices of Cohasset Council, Knights of Columbus, will be held in the Cohasset Town Hall, Thursday night. The entertainment will be staged under the supervision of Mrs. Anselm L. Beal. Miss Clarice Wentworth will be the feature attraction, presenting a number of specialty dances, aided by her partner, Freddie Wood. Robert Cloy will sing a group of selections. A comedy sketch, "One Little Shoe," and a one-act play, "Interviewing the Farmer," will complete the entertainment program. Dancing will follow.

The committee in charge is headed by William H. Morris, chairman, and includes Joseph G. Enis, Joseph Brennock and Walter Enis.

## $20,000,000 WON IN CONTEST OF 20 YEARS

San Francisco, Feb. 17.—From a position in life not far above pauperism to that of being one of the richest men in the country was the tidings conveyed today to George Campbell Carson, who rooms in a sailors' boarding house on San Francisco's waterfront.

The change from laborer to millionaire came when he won his lawsuit against the combined copper interests of the nation, involving royalties and damages estimated at more than $20,000,000. The decision was returned by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals after twenty years of litigation.

## MISSING AVIATOR IS GREATER BOSTON MAN

Bradley Jones, navigator and mechanical engineer, who left McCook Field, Dayton, O., last Thursday for a non-stop flight to Pensacola, Fla., and was scheduled to arrive Friday morning, but from whom nothing has been heard, is a resident of Greater Boston.

He is thirty-six years of age and was born in Boston and attended the Prince School, English High School, and is a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the Class of 191[illegible].

# ALDERMEN WIN FIGHT WITH QUIGLEY

### Wrest Control of Chelsea Assessors From Hands of Mayor

The anti-Quigley faction of the Chelsea board of aldermen is jubilant today, asserting that through the summary dismissal of Samuel J. Abramovitz from the board of assessors and the election of Daniel J. McGivern, they have wrested the board from the control of the Mayor.

McGivern was elected to succeed Charles J. Donahue, a lieutenant of Mayor Quigley, and Samuel Paulive was chosen to succeed Abramovitz.

Another strong Quigley advocate, John W. Kinnally of the board of registrars of voters, also was defeated, his place being taken by Frank H. Smith, who was elected for three years.

The changes were made by a five to four vote. The anti-Quigley forces in the board of aldermen, heretofore consisting of Aldermen Clarence Richmond, Samuel Falkof and George Taylor, had their strength increased to a majority with the additional votes of Aldermen John Whalen and John Brennan.

The other city officers were elected without opposition.

## WILL FIGHT N. Y. ORDER TO OPEN HELL GATE BRIDGE

New York, Feb. 17.—The recommendation of the Port of New York Authority that the Pennsylvania and New Haven railroads open their $50,000,000 Hell Gates Bridge route into Long Island to the New York Central Railroad is expected to precipitate a long drawn legal fight. While no definite decision has been reached, the roads which now control the bridge probably will contest the Port Authority order on the ground that it would give the New York Central an unfair advantage.

# *Baby, 10 Days Old, Sues for Loss of Parents*

Los Angeles, Feb. 17.—Judgment of $110,000 is asked in behalf of Sidney M. Kahn, ten days old, in a suit on file today against O. T. Oliver, whom the complaint accuses of having caused the death of the infant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney C. Kahn, and his eighteen-months-old sister in an automobile accident the night of his birth.

The infant plaintiff was born about an hour after the accident while his mother lay dying at a hospital. The damage suit was filed through a guardian.

# TWO SOUGHT AS CALIFORNIA MAN'S HEIRS

### Brookline Police Hunting for Nephew and Niece of Michael Moran

Chief of Police H. Allen Rutherford of Brookline is searching today for a nephew and a niece of Michael Moran, who died in San Francisco, Calif., in December, 1924.

Moran, who left Boston forty years ago, went to the west coast where he accumulated quite a fortune, according to the information in the hands of Chief Rutherford.

He married in San Francisco but his wife has died and he has no children. The only heirs tre believed to be the nephew and niece.

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*Other Women's Tailored Silk Blouses, 5.00 to 16.50*

Mannish Tailored Felt Hats

Two chic new Felt Sport Hats — chosen from among our wide collection—in all newest high shades featured for spring.

Hat with dented crown and slashed brim with pearl slides is ................10.00

Felt Hat with grosgrain ribbon band and front cocarde is ................12.50

Ascot Tie Sports Shirts

Of lustrous English Cotton Broadcloth, plain tailored shirt style, long waist effect. Comes in powder blue, tan or white.... 3.00

*Other Women's Cotton Sports Blouses, 2.00 to 7.50*

The Mannish Influence
Plays a Major Part in Smart New Spring Fashions

Mannish Tailored Coats

Coats are an important factor in the realm of the mannish-tailored mode. Both our Women's and Misses' Coat Sections are showing smart new Coats fashioned on strictly tailored and semi-tailored lines—in both single and double breasted models and mannish velvet collars too! Many of these Coats are made of imported tweeds and mixtures.

Long Coat O'Rossen Suits

—the newest version of the spring tailleur for women, as interpreted by leading stylists. One of several new tailored suits in light colored tweed shown in our Women's Suit Section ................ 45.00

*Other Women's Tailored Suits, 25.00 to 79.50*

Genuine Camel's Hair Tailored Coat, in small checked pattern. Either single or double breasted style. From our Women's Coat Section ..........60.00

*Other Tailored Coats for Women, 25.00 to 65.00*

Mannish Top Coat of imported tweed. Very swagger model, lined throughout with novelty plaid or checked fabric. From our Misses' Coat Section, 49.50

*Other Tailored Coats for Misses, 35.00 to 59.50*

Black Bengaline Tailored Dresses

With pipings of silk crepe in carmen red or copen, with leather belt to match. Long tight sleeves and white embroidered collar. Row of large bone buttons down front. Women's Dress Section ............ 25.00

*Other New Spring Dresses for Women, 25.00 to 225.00*

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LARGEST [illegible] CIRCULATION [illegible] IN NEW ENGLAND

SECOND SECTION

# PHONE FIRE CRIPPLES TOLL LINES

## *Flappers' Friend Has Commandments for Parents*

## B. U. GIRLS TELL THEIR FOIBLES

At top, Helen Topping, one of the fair co-eds at Boston University, who reveals in the 1925 year book some of her foibles and fancies. At bottom, left to right, are Margaret Nugent and Elsa Russell, who will also "ree-te [illegible]

> *Oh, wad some power the giftie gie us,*
> *To see oursel's as ithers see us.*
> Robert Burns.

Boston University is going to [illegible] the 1925 year book. [illegible] reveal the foibles and fancies of the seniors at the College of Liberal Arts. Nor are the professors to be exempted from a public exhibition of their personalities. [illegible] reveal [illegible] halo of learned dignity.

Elsa Russell, Helen Topping and Margaret M. Nugent are the fair judges who are opening the seniors' [illegible] the Year Book something different.

In it [illegible] that Margaret Lyons believes falling in love is an essential part of [illegible]. She is rated high in her studies. She also admits she likes professors better [illegible]

## MELROSE HIGH GIRLS 'CURBED'

### Flapper Foibles Banned, Abbreviated Costumes Are Taboo

Vanity cases, "peek-a-boo" dresses, sweaters, plaid and striped stockings are taboo in Melrose High School as the result of a campaign by Miss Edith Blake, dean of the school, to make the girls conform to higher standards of manners and morals, she told the meeting of the fourth district of Massachusetts State Federation of Woman's Clubs in Pilgrim Congregational Church, Dorchester.

Paint and rouge also are absolutely forbidden to the Melrose High girls, Miss Blake said.

"A certain amount of powder is permitted," she said, "but it must not be applied thickly enough to be noticeable."

**NO SHORT SLEEVES.**

"One girl, whose mother upheld her in her practice of using rouge, did not return to school this year.

"Girls appearing in class wearing short-sleeved sweaters or dresses, are sent home or compelled to wear their coats," she said.

Miss Blake said she had solved the dance problem by having all dances afternoon affairs, with the exception of the annual "prom." The particular problem at dances, she said, was the improper holding of partners.

One couple, she said, when asked to step off the floor because of their postures while dancing, became so offended they went home.

**HAS 3 SIMPLE RULES.**

Miss Blake declared that she had solved her problems by the following simple rules:

"Know what the girls are thinking. Do not laugh at them or appear bored with them, and never betray a confidence."

In that way, she said, she had always been able to obtain and hold their confidence and become an influence for good in their lives.

## 428 TOLL LINES ARE CRIPPLED

### Only 61 in Operation Following Fire in the Boston Main Office

As eighty picked repair men worked frantically to restore the New England telephone toll lines, it was reported that only 61 out of the 489 toll lines were in operation today after a fire which destroyed the test board on the [illegible] floor of the telephone [illegible] at Milk and Oliver streets had crippled toll service [illegible] over New England.

[illegible] three minutes' duration, on account of the [illegible] connections [illegible] the telephone officials stated [illegible] toll circuits [illegible] being restored as far as possible over the widest territory [illegible]

**LINES IN OPERATION**

[illegible] are now in operation four [illegible] to Fall River [illegible] under [illegible] there would be [illegible] The following [illegible] now in operation.

| | In operation | Normal |
|---|---|---|
| [illegible] Me | [illegible] | 17 |
| [illegible] N. H. | [illegible] | 1 |
| [illegible] | 1 | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| W[illegible]am | 1 | [illegible] |
| W[illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Woonsocket, R. I. | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Lewiston, Me. | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Manchester, N. H. | 3 | [illegible] |
| Med[illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Milford | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| New Bedford | 1 | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | 4 |
| North Adams | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Franklin | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Greenfield | [illegible] | [illegible] |

**NEW TEST BOARD HELPS**

The service that has been restored was made possible by [illegible] new test board which [illegible] on the seventh [illegible] cost of more than [illegible] to be ready for service [illegible] of April [illegible] the fire [illegible] and it is estimated by the [illegible] would be in full operation later than the fifteenth of M[illegible]

Circuits connecting [illegible] Lowell, Framingham [illegible] Providence, Haverhill and [illegible]

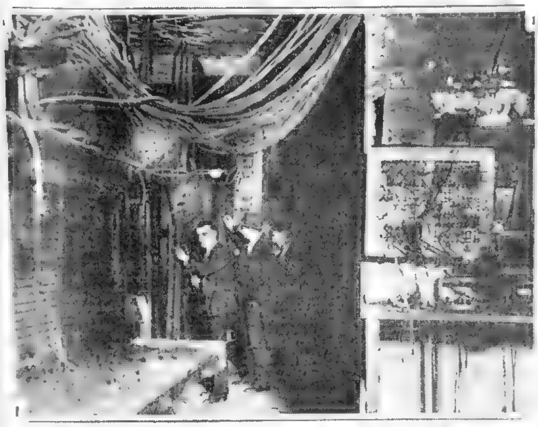

Photo shows wreck and ruin caused by fire in toll lines test room of the Telephone [illegible] Milk and Oliver streets.

[illegible] three hundred lines, are [illegible] of Massachusetts [illegible] affected, for it is [illegible] in Bangor to [illegible] on all over the New England area.

[illegible] test board which [illegible] by fire there were [illegible] number 1,400 [illegible]

**IN CHARGE OF REPAIRS.**

[illegible] under the direction of [illegible] construction [illegible] Murphy, superintendent of equipment.

It is estimated by the officials of [illegible] a matter of three or four weeks before [illegible] again be had.

[illegible] damage to [illegible] and does not take into [illegible] the loss of revenue nor [illegible] equipment [illegible]

**BUSINESS CRIPPLED**

[illegible] leased wires leading to the branch offices of brokerage houses throughout New England, are virtually out of commission as a result of the blaze.

Radio broadcasting, except from [illegible] broadcasting stations, is badly crippled, and will continue so for [illegible]

The fire did little damage to [illegible] Local [illegible] were slowed [illegible] for a few hours after the [illegible] this difficulty was soon [illegible]

**WINDOWS BLOWN OUT**

When the fire started three men, H. B. M[illegible], D. [illegible] Ames and Fred G. Waldron, were testing lines in the [illegible] test room. Suddenly there was a flash of blue flame and an explosion which blew out all the windows in the room. The room filled with smoke and flames enveloped the distributing frame on the rear of the test board.

As the explosion occurred every line in the toll [illegible] on a tower [illegible] operators [illegible] room [illegible] went to the street. Several [illegible] that they failed to get their outer clothing. There was no panic, however.

Sixty girls working in the Main and Congress exchanges also were ordered to the street as a [illegible] measure. They [illegible] to their posts after the fire was extinguished.

A still alarm, followed by a bell [illegible] brought a [illegible] of the Boston fire department to the scene. Hose lines were laid over extension ladders to the roof but the firemen mainly used chemicals to fight the blaze for fear of the damage likely from water. Several heavy lines were used, however. The firemen were seriously hampered by dense smoke from the building [illegible] None was overcome, however. Deputy Chief [illegible] O. Power was in command [illegible]

## HIGHEST PEAK IN ANDES SCALED BY BRITON

Buenos Aires, Argentina, Feb. 17.—Mount Aconcagua, the highest peak in the Andes, towering 23,290 feet above sea level, has been scaled by M. F. Ryan, an English [illegible] who had [illegible] unsuccessful attempts [illegible] the peak. The summit of Aconcagua has been reached by only two other climbers.

## COURT FREES REDMOND OF CONTEMPT

George F. Redmond, former head of the now defunct G. F. Redmond & Co., [illegible] stock brokerage firm, appeared before Federal Judge Morton and purged himself of contempt of which he was adjudged guilty when trustees for the company declared he was balking them in their task of realizing on Redmond's assets for the benefit of his creditors.

Redmond had [illegible] previous attempt [illegible] contempt [illegible] Wester [illegible] appeared before [illegible] Redmond and [illegible] purged and [illegible] value of [illegible]

Last [illegible] the defense [illegible] part [illegible] He [illegible] before that [illegible] week.

When he [illegible] Judge [illegible] Attorney O'Brien [illegible] by the state [illegible] to his bonds. While held for contempt Redmond was [illegible] release even though he [illegible] furnish the $3[illegible] He has remained in East Cambridge jail more than [illegible]

With [illegible] of the contempt committee [illegible] Redmond are expected to appeal for [illegible] of [illegible] State and Federal bonds and attempt to [illegible] release before his case is [illegible] by the Court of Appeals.

During the [illegible] days of his trial in Federal District Court, Redmond was brought [illegible] from the East Cambridge jail [illegible] custody of officers.

If a decision favorable to Redmond is returned by the Court of Appeals a new trial will [illegible] or charges against Redmond may be dismissed.

## OPPOSES ARREST ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

Chicago, Feb. 17.—"Charles E. Wa[illegible]" for whom a warrant was sworn out on a charge of embezzlement of $1[illegible] by Thomas Fitzgerald after Federal investigators had found discrepancies in the [illegible] of the Fitzgerald B[illegible] Works, is not Attorney Charles E. Ward, formerly secretary of the defunct La Salle Street Trust & Savings Bank, former Senator Lorimer's bank, Fitzgerald asserted today. Attorney Charles E. Ward has had charge of the financial operations of the [illegible] concern. Fitzgerald says that the "Charles E. Ward" named in the warrant was an office man. [illegible] has told the police not to arrest the man, who is in Florida, as he will not guarantee the expense of bringing him back.

## LEGINSKA IS BARRED AT OLD HOME

New York, Feb. 17.—Troubles never [illegible] Ethel Leginska, [illegible] Boston [illegible] weeks [illegible]

The [illegible] West Twenty [illegible]

[illegible] when [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Leginska [illegible] past [illegible] Hereafter [illegible] We [illegible] Leginska [illegible] eager [illegible]

## THOUSANDS AWAIT NEW ENGLAND STUDENTS

Hundreds of school and college students in New England [illegible] in the awards of thousands [illegible] in State and national [illegible] best essays [illegible] and [illegible] students in the [illegible] contest which closes March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis [illegible] of New York are donors of the prizes which provide cash awards [illegible] prizes [illegible] in Yale and six in Vassar [illegible] Winners in State [illegible] are eligible for the national prizes.

The Massachusetts award committee is headed by Franklin W. [illegible] No. 78 Chauncy street, to whom essays will be submitted.

## NEW YORK MERCHANT DIES ON BOARD TRAIN

A few moments after boarding a New York train at the South Station today Frederick Starbuck, secretary and treasurer of the Butler Weed Company of New York, was taken ill and was dead when the flyer reached Pawtucket, R. I.

He was attacked with indigestion. The body was taken from the train at Providence and [illegible] by [illegible] after [illegible] it was turned over to an undertaking establishment. Starbuck lived in White Plains, N. Y.

## BARBAROUS METHODS URGED

### "Barbarians of This Age Must Not Be Ridiculed," Says Mental Expert

J[illegible] you complaining mothers and fathers!

J[illegible] your fault [illegible] sons and daughters!

[illegible] know what the [illegible] Dr. [illegible] expert [illegible]

Dr. M[illegible] [illegible] what he [illegible] the auspices of the [illegible] council of Jewish [illegible] enough to [illegible] are.

**HIS COMMANDMENTS**

1. Thou shalt revere the child as [illegible]
2. [illegible] mould the [illegible] hope [illegible]
3. Thou [illegible] occasionally, but thou shalt do it also for the good of the family.
4. Thou shalt not ridicule the new generation.
5. [illegible] desire with unfair [illegible]
6. Thou [illegible] know praise and [illegible]
7. Thou [illegible] the child the joy of [illegible] achievement [illegible] of strength [illegible]
8. [illegible] curiosity [illegible] stuff of knowledge.
9. [illegible] child [illegible] from [illegible]
10. [illegible] recede [illegible] growing ego of [illegible]

[illegible] M[illegible] explanation [illegible]

**EXPLAINS THEM**

[illegible] which [illegible] starting to [illegible] successor of the [illegible] stage of life. It is [illegible]

[illegible] of countless [illegible] to hope [illegible] should be [illegible] but [illegible] of your [illegible] a great poet [illegible]

[illegible] right to ex[illegible] preacher [illegible] He [illegible] not in [illegible] sympathize [illegible] Don't [illegible] anguish [illegible]

[illegible] preach [illegible] young [illegible] Good [illegible] not set [illegible]

[illegible] the parent [illegible] goodness [illegible] to be what you are [illegible] parents read nothing worth while [illegible] expect their [illegible]

A favorite [illegible] outdoor sport of the older folks is to ridicule the new generation. Forget the old days. It is [illegible] habit of mankind to refer to the golden days of youth.

**FLAPPER OF 1925**

"At the age of twenty every woman is beautiful. At the age of forty very few can lay claim to it. The [illegible] But because [illegible] wear any corsets and [illegible] she is ridiculed. Any [illegible] man would fall for the flapper of 1925 any time. She is better dressed and more human.

"Don't gratify your child's desires until they have reached the [illegible] stage. Otherwise he will become [illegible] expectant [illegible] Give him [illegible] but let him earn the rest by earnest effort and good behavior.

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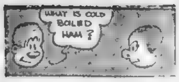
WHAT IS COLD BOILED HAM?

# BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

HAM BOILED IN COLD WATER!!!

# BETTORS SCALPED AS BOGASH WINS OVER TIGER ON FOUL

## THRILLING GO ENDS IN 3D ROUND

By JACK CONWAY.

THE big fish of the betting fraternity, who make a very good living by preying upon the so-called suckers, are wearing mourning bands today.

These work-dodging individuals installed Tiger Flowers a 10 to 8 favorite over Lou Bogash in their bout at the Commercial A. C. show at Mechanics Building. All the Tiger of the South had to do, they argued, was to box at his usual form and clip for ten rounds and take the decision and thus permit the big fish to take the stakes.

Then something happened. It took place in the third round, after Bogash had given the Tiger a very interesting session. During an exchange of blows to the body in a neutral corner, Bogash went to the canvas, apparently in great pain.

Flowers dropped to his knees and tried to assist his fallen opponent, but was called to his own corner by Walk Miller, his manager. One of Bogash's handlers who started towards him was ordered to return to his corner. After consulting with Judges Dave Nalligan and John Glacken, Referee Jerry Moore awarded the decision to Bogash on a foul.

This writer did not see any foul blow delivered. Neither did a great many other persons who were close to the ring and in a position to see what happened. Bogash was hit some heavy socks in the pit of the stomach, but they were not of the knockout brand.

Neither Flowers nor Walk Miller, his manager, protested the decision. By their silence and solicitations over Bogash's condition they accepted the decision of the officials as being correct.

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THE abrupt ending of the bout was a disappointment to the capacity crowd which attended the show. Up to the time Bogash dropped to the canvas, the tussle had been jammed with thrills. Bogash proved his mettle and gave Flowers the hardest battle he has had in a Boston ring.

At the bell in the first round, Flowers rushed Bogash. The Tiger was out to win as quickly as possible. Lou stepped aside and went into a crouching position. He drew his right hand back for the kill. At the Tiger plunged forward again Lou scored with a right hand wallop to the jaw.

Enthusiasm was rampant among the fans as Bogash traded blows with the Tiger. The latter found it difficult to reach Bogash in the latter's crouching position and missed many blows. It was Bogash's round.

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THE Tiger quickened his pace in the second frame. Punching from all angles he drove Bogash back against the ropes. He missed three blows for every one he landed, but when he scored he shook his rival up. Lou would unexpectedly straighten up and crash ponderous punches to the body with an occasional right hand flash to the jaw.

The more Bogash scored the more he missed himself the harder the Tiger fought. He slashed and clawed when at close quarters and at long range unloosed left and right hand punches much like the God of Storms releases thunderbolts during an electrical disturbance. It was Flowers' round but only by a shade.

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CAME the third round with the Tiger fighting harder than ever, Bogash cagey and resourceful dodging many punches and now and then opening up and driving the Southern sensation back under the fury of his punches. From one end of the ring to the other they fought. Then they got into a neutral corner and opened up with a body attack. Suddenly Bogash fell to the canvas and rolled around as if in great pain. Followed the awarding of the decision to the Bridgeport man on a foul.

It was five minutes before Bogash left the ring. He fell to the canvas twice as his seconds assisted him to his corner.

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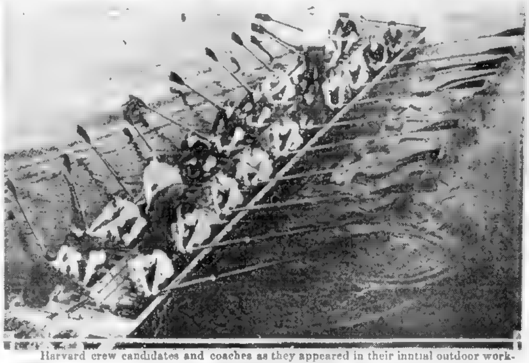
IN the semi-final of eight rounds, Johnny Andressano of East Boston was awarded the decision over Sam Lucci of Clinton. Ike Porter of New York, a very flashy performer, won over Wee Willie Woods of Scotland in eight sessions, while Jackie Williams of Chicago disposed of Spike Hennessey of Waltham in eight chapters.

## STEALING A MARCH ON SPRING



Harvard crew candidates and coaches as they appeared in their initial outdoor workout of the season. It was the earliest in the history of Crimson rowing that the oarsmen took the river in their shells.

Harvard crew candidates made their first outdoor appearance of the season when three barges were launched on the Charles. It was the earliest turnout of crew in Harvard's history. About 100 men reported.

Rather then have the men immersed or the shells injured, Coach Stevens used barges.

Captain Sylvester Kelley was unable to row. Henry Pierce, bow on last year's freshman crew, took his place. Jimmy Perkins, 150-pound freshman stroke last year, set pace for the second eight.

The varsity, or crew X, order was:

Stroke, Robert Winthrop; seven, Kent Leavitt; six J. W. Gates; five George Johnson, four, Donald Gates three, Volney Righter; two, Columbus Iselin, bow, Henry Pierce, coxswain, Steve Heard.

## SO. AMERICAN BOXERS SOUGHT FOR BOSTON

President William Cuddy of the New England A. A. U. will leave for New York tomorrow to open a fight to bring a team of South American amateur boxers to Boston. The South American ring men have already accepted an invitation extended by the American A. A. U. to come to this country.

New York wishes to have the foreign mitt wielders make their debut at Madison Square Garden. The New York leaders, though, are unwilling to guarantee the expenses of the amateur boxers.

Cuddy believes that the recent successful international amateur boxing show between England, Canada and America proved that Boston is the ideal spot for the South Americans to make their bow. The tourney with the British boxers featuring attracted a gate of $9,000, which paid all expenses and left a profit of more than $6,000 in the coffers of the New England A. A. U.

Cuddy is prepared to guarantee the expenses of the South American team. It is his plan to pit the South Americans against a team composed of the winners of the national amateur boxing championships which will be staged in this city on April 13 and 14.

This would give the show a real international flavor. It would be a case of the pick of the American amateur boxers against the class of South America. In the recent international show, the American team was composed of local boys.

At the national champions each association of the A. A. U. will only be allowed to enter ten men. This will eliminate unseasoned material and will make it unnecessary to stage the show for three nights as was the case last year.

### BRAVES TURN POWELL AND HUNTER ADRIFT

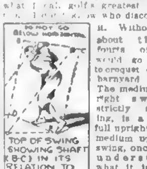
Two more Braves have been released according to Eddie Riley, secretary of the club. The latest to go are Hunter Lane and Ray Powell, in fielder and outfielder respectively.

## Inside Golf

By CHESTER HORTON

Maker of 51 Golf Champions, "Golf's most successful teacher," says "Chick" Evans.

The medium upright swing is what I call golf's greatest invention. I don't know who discovered it. Without it about three-fourths of us would go back to croquet or the barnyard sport. The medium upright swing, strictly speaking, is a little full upright. The medium upright swing, once you understand what it is and how to use it, frees the player from that tight feeling that fights him so at the top of his back swing. It is accomplished just about as the full upright is accomplished, but at the top of the back swing it stops shorter. When your pro tells you over and over to use a shorter back swing he is really trying to get you to use a medium upright but does not use the term because he thinks it might confuse you. The exact details of the medium upright will be given tomorrow.



TOP OF SWING SHOWING SHAFT (B-C) IN ITS RELATION TO D-E, WHICH IS PARALLEL TO FLIGHT

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### WASHINGTON SHELL FOR HARVARD CREW

Seattle, Feb. 17 (A. P.).—Four shells, designed for the University of Washington, left Seattle aboard the steamship Harry Luckenbach for the Atlantic coast. They have been consigned to Harvard, Syracuse and Princeton Universities and the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis. Shells have already been shipped to Columbia University.

### DELANEY-MALONE BOUT POSTPONED

The Jack Delaney-Jock Malone bout, billed by the Suffolk A. A. for Friday night, has been postponed until April. This is due to Malone's suspension in New York which is recognized by the Massachusetts Commission. Malone was set down for boxing Mickey Walker who is under the ban in the Empire State.

### Last Night on the Mat

At Brockton—Leone Labriola, Italy, defeated Lawson Fusha, Attleboro, two straight falls. First fall 20 minutes, second, 13 minutes. Charley Metro threw Frank Dutcher. Cora Livingston won over Eva Le Marr, in 15 minutes.

At New York—Joe Stecher, Nebraska, wrestled to a draw with Jim Londos. Wladek Zbyszko won from Ivan Zaikin in 34 minutes and 40 seconds.

## MUNN OFFERED $7,500 FOR BOUT HERE

By RINGSIDE

Paul Bowser, Boston wrestling promoter, today made a new offer to Wayne (Big) Munn, to wrestle in Boston. Bowser has wired Gabe Kaufman, Munn's manager, a bid of $7,500 for the champion to clash with the winner of the finish mat bout between Frank Yusko, Lithuanian titleholder, and Leone Labriola, Italian champion, which will be staged at the Grand Opera House on Thursday night."

Bowser recently offered Munn $7,000 to meet Stanley Stasiak. This bid was refused. Bowser is not interested in a Munn-Stasiak contest now, as Stanley has recently suffered two defeats at the hands of Yusko. Stasiak will have to work his way to the top again.

### BROWN HURLING STAR SIGNED BY YANKEES

New York, Feb. 7.—The New York Yankees signed Elmer Duggan, Brown University pitcher star, to a contract today. Duggan was looked upon last year as the outstanding college pitcher of the East. He will leave on Friday for St. Petersburg, Fla., training camp of the Yanks with a group of ten recruit pitchers and three coaches all under the direction of Coach Wiltse.

### JOHNNY EVERS SIGNS AS GIANTS' COACH

New York, Feb. 17.—The New York Giants have signed Johnny Evers, ex-manager of the Chicago Cubs and White Sox, as coach to fill the post vacated by the blacklisting of Cozy Dolan. Evers served in a similar capacity in 1920, prior to signing to pilot the Cubs.

## SAMPSON NEW MEDFORD GRID COACH

As has been expected for some time Arthur Sampson basketball and track coach at Medford High School, will lead the gridiron legions of that institution next Fall.

The Medford School committee, at its regular weekly meeting, officially named him successor to Jim Mansfield, who will coach at Haverhill High this coming season, and at the same time granted him a substantial increase in salary.

Sampson, who is a member of the school faculty, has won State-wide recognition as a track coach, his teams having won the Massachusetts championship for the past three years.

After the election of Sampson the school board decided not to disband the track team because of the disturbance caused in Brookline on Saturday night when it was alleged that Medford High students celebrating the Medford victory over Brookline broke windows in the street cars and created a disturbance that caused heaps of criticism being centred on the school both by "L" officials and townsfolks.

It was announced by the school board that nothing was advanced to prove that students of Medford High did the damage. Rooters who were not members of the school are blamed for the outburst of enthusiasm.

### Hectic Week for School Tracksters

By FRED C. LANE.

This week will be a banner one for the school track athletes of Greater Boston. From the spectators' point of view it is the best offered this year. It will serve to give one an idea of just "Who's Who" in Boston High School circles and an insight as to the probable State champion.

To start off the hectic week Commerce, Dorchester and Mechanic Arts are staging a triangular meet tomorrow at the East Armory.

The district high schools take the stage on Thursday when the three leading competitors for honors in the circuit race in a three cornered meet, namely, East Boston, Hyde Park and Jamaica Plain.

East Boston for seven years has won the championship of the District League. Hyde Park broke the winning streak of the Noddle Island school last season and to make the going interesting Jamaica Plain unfolds a sterling bunch of track men this year that are the equal of any in and about the city.

On Friday English and Latin clash. From a traditional standpoint this is an interesting meet but the dopesters are conceding English the majority of the points.

For a climax, the Huntington Interscholastic meet will take place on Saturday at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. This yearly affair has long been looked upon as one of the best of its kind. The winner is regarded as State Champion.

### Grange Has Relapse

Richmond, Mich., Feb. 17.—Harold "Red" Grange, University of Illinois football star, who became ill with mumps here a week ago, has suffered a relapse and was ordered back to bed. Physicians found he had a slight fever, following a chill Sunday night.

## Selections--Mounts--Prices

### CONSENSUS OF OPINION OF LEADING HANDICAPPERS

AT MIAMI

BEST—Pet Cat

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1— | Lloyd George | 14 points |
| | Dusky Belle | 13 points |
| | Fair Break | 12 points |
| 2— | Zack Terrell | 16 points |
| | Ferocious | 10 points |
| | Lagoon | 10 points |
| 3— | Pet Cat | 30 points |
| | Channel | 14 points |
| | Frances Johnson | 11 points |
| 4— | Barracks | 20 points |
| | Mulligan | 13 points |
| | Betty Lane | 8 points |
| 5— | Fue | 26 points |
| | Briggs Buchanan | 16 points |
| | Sun Spot | 6 points |
| 6— | Myrtle Belle | 22 points |
| | Minus | 10 points |
| | Fax | 8 points |
| 7— | Venus | 30 points |
| | Winnipeg | 16 points |
| | Metal | 18 points |

AT NEW ORLEANS

BEST—Tippity Witchet

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1— | Tippity Witchet | 30 points |
| | Melbourne | 8 points |
| | Lester Doctor | 8 points |
| 2— | Dolly Bay | 20 points |
| | Florence Mills | 13 points |
| | Pana Star | 10 points |
| 3— | Little Visitor | 22 points |
| | Thundering | 16 points |
| | The Badger | 10 points |
| 4— | Leopardess | 23 points |
| | Lady Belle | 12 points |
| | Miss Meise | 12 points |
| 5— | David Harum | 30 points |
| | Wapiti | 10 points |
| | Westwood | 16 points |
| 6— | St. Martins | 16 points |
| | The Leopard | 14 points |
| | Taylor Hay | 12 points |
| 7— | War Prize | 16 points |
| | Overtake | 18 points |
| | Prima Donna | 18 points |

### ELEVENTH HOUR SPECIALS

Tippity Witchet, New Orleans; Pet Cat, Miami.
Phone special—Overtake, New Orleans.

### At Miami

FIRST RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 7— | Rapid Traveler, I. Parke | 6-1 |
| 9— | Black Ruler, G. Walls | 8-1 |
| 15— | See It Through | 8-1 |
| 2— | Lloyd George, W. Smith | 6-1 |
| 6— | Dusky Belle, Williams | 10-1 |
| 18— | Pauline M., A. Rodriguez | 10-1 |
| 3— | Crump, J. Stevens | 15-1 |
| 14— | Okchama, L. Weiner | 10-1 |
| 11— | Contribution, C. Kurtzinger | 15-1 |
| 5— | Sophia Marie | 15-1 |
| 4— | Cosenza, J. Judy | 15-1 |
| 6— | Compact, J. Jones | 15-1 |
| 16— | Ega, J. O'Brien | 20-1 |

SECOND RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 1— | Eljesmar, I. Parke | 6-1 |
| 7— | Bowman, E. Beach | 6-1 |
| 9— | Sam Smith, T. Wayt | 8-1 |
| 4— | Lagoon, J. Stevens | 6-1 |
| 5— | Composer, J. Callahan | 6-1 |
| 12— | Zack Terrell, K. Noe | 8-1 |
| 10— | Mr. Beck, M. Leibgold | 10-1 |
| 8— | Article X | 15-1 |

THIRD RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 1— | Pet Cat, G. Ambrose | 3-1 |
| 3— | Merry O., F. Weiner | 3-1 |
| 10— | May Fly, G. Kurtzinger | 6-1 |
| 4— | Frances Johnson, K. Noe | 6-1 |
| 5— | Winnie o' Wynn, J. Maiben | 10-1 |
| 6— | Kirkfield, J. Callahan | 6-1 |
| 9— | Funmaker, Williams | 10-1 |
| 7— | Decorative, F. Stevens | 20-1 |

FOURTH RACE

| Pos. | Horse Jockey | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 1— | Mulligan, A. Rodriguez | 3-1 |
| 4— | Betty Lane, E. Ambrose | 8-1 |
| 9— | Kickapoo, I. Parke | 8-1 |
| 6— | Jack o' Hearts, M. Stutts | 6-1 |
| 8— | Barracks, J. Maiben | 3-1 |
| 7— | Donarita, C. Kurtzinger | 8-1 |
| 3— | Peter Brush, F. Stevens | 6-1 |
| 2— | Spondulix, F. Woodstock | 10-1 |
| 6— | Forelady, G. Fields | 15-1 |

FIFTH RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 4— | Briggs Buchanan, J. Maiben | 3-1 |
| 6— | Fue, J. Callahan | 5-2 |
| 9— | Sun Spot, F. Weiner | 3-1 |
| 1— | Kings Ransom, E. Seguin | 6-1 |
| 2— | Cathleen Ni Houlihan, J. Dolin | 6-1 |

SIXTH RACE

| Pos. | Horse Jockey | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 8— | Hobson, F. Weiner | 3-1 |
| 5— | Escolano, G. Fields | 6-1 |
| 1— | Polly Wale, K. Noe | 6-1 |
| 7— | Myrtle Belle, J. Dolin | 5-1 |
| 10— | Minus, C. Kurtzinger | 6-1 |
| 4— | Fax, R. Hoffman | 6-1 |
| 2— | Orpheus, I. Parke | 8-2 |
| 8— | Theo Red | 8-1 |
| 11— | Perhaps, F. Horn | 15-1 |
| 5— | Moorfield | 20-1 |

SEVENTH RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 9— | Soggarth Aroon, M. Leibgold | 5-1 |
| 10— | Winnipeg, E. Ambrose | 4-1 |
| 4— | Venus, J. Dolin | 6-1 |
| 5— | Ripon, C. Kurtzinger | 6-1 |
| 3— | Watch Charm, E. Rossetti | 6-1 |
| 9— | Huey, J. Wood | 8-1 |
| 3— | Waukula, K. Noe | 8-1 |
| 1— | Intrepid, D. Fisher | 15-1 |

### At New Orleans

FIRST RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey. | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 1— | Tippity Witchet | 3-1 |
| 12— | Lester Doctor, C. Lang | 3-2 |
| 6— | Foxmere, S. Herbert | 5-1 |
| 4— | Good Morning, E. Roehm | 10-1 |
| 7— | Colonel Baker, H. Myers | 6-1 |
| 11— | Antonia, A. Lacoste | 10-1 |
| 9— | Rajah, C. Allen | 10-1 |
| 13— | Rachel Potter, V. Moore | 10-1 |
| 17— | Kirkcaldy, H. Thomas | 10-1 |
| 14— | Medina | 30-1 |

SECOND RACE

| Pos. | Horse Jockey. | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 10— | Florence Mills, E. Pool | 3-1 |
| 7— | Pana Star, J. Butwell | 4-1 |
| 1— | Blow Horn, D. Hurn | 8-1 |
| 6— | Janie D., D. Harvey | 10-1 |
| 13— | Hen Cat, J. D. Mooney | 6-1 |
| 14— | Just a Toy, J. H. Burke | 6-1 |
| 15— | Mazette, W. Frank | 15-1 |
| 6— | Ens | 15-1 |
| 4— | Miss Nan, K. Hamilton | 20-1 |
| 3— | Maxiva, H. Long | 20-1 |
| 5— | My Elf, J. Leynand | 20-1 |
| 8— | Nadine Kee, W. Taylor | 20-1 |

THIRD RACE

| Pos. | Horse Jockey. | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 1— | Little Visitor, E. Pool | 8-5 |
| 2— | Thundering, E. Legere | 3-1 |
| 6— | The Badger, C. Lang | 4-1 |
| 4— | Adolphus (doubtful) | 5-1 |
| 8— | Romp (doubtful) | 6-1 |
| 5— | Brave Bob, N. Burger | 15-1 |

FOURTH RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey. | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 3— | Leopardess, E. Pool | 3-5 |
| 1— | Miss Meise, D. Harvey | 3-1 |
| 6— | Lady Belle, (doubtful) | 3-1 |
| 4— | Bargain Day, H. Meyers | 4-1 |
| 5— | Southland Girl, L. Lang | 10-1 |

FIFTH RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey. | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 2— | Calcutta, A. Vuillemot | 6-1 |
| 7— | Escarpelette, H. Meyers | 15-1 |
| 13— | Promising Tom, V. Moore | 10-1 |
| 6— | Wapiti, C. Allen | 6-1 |
| 11— | Bean King, B. Tiner | 6-1 |
| 16— | Stonnage, E. Roehm | 10-1 |
| 4— | Lee Adria, A. Burak | 15-1 |
| 3— | Spuga | 15-1 |

SIXTH RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey. | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 13— | June, W. Frank | 8-1 |
| 16— | Boonsville | 10-1 |
| 12— | Attractive, V. Moore | 10-1 |
| 4— | Gladys V., S. Herbert | 6-1 |
| 3— | Deiyata | 8-1 |
| 8— | Grace Tree, C. Allen | 8-1 |
| 10— | Little Ammie, L. Lee | 15-1 |
| 7— | Georgette, E. Legere | 10-1 |
| 14— | Anniversary, H. Thomas | 10-1 |

SEVENTH RACE.

| Pos. | Horse Jockey. | Prob. Odds. |
|---|---|---|
| 8— | Overtake, E. Legere | 3-1 |
| 9— | Prima Donna, V. Moore | 6-1 |
| 19— | Isaman, E. Roehm | 8-1 |
| 8— | Old Timer, G. Mangus | 5-1 |
| 13— | War Prize, R. Yelton | 6-1 |
| 15— | Warren Lynch, S. Herbert | 10-1 |
| 6— | Sovnet, J. Butwell | 10-1 |
| 16— | Our Birthday, A. Vuillemot | 10-1 |
| 11— | Rolling Wave, W. Long | 15-1 |
| 7— | The Student, J. Majestic | 15-1 |
| 4— | Pensive, H. Thomas | 20-1 |
| 13— | Teddy Toast | 20-1 |

### SELECTIONS

LIVE WIRE.

ONE HORSE SPECIAL—Little Visitor, New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS—One best, Miss Meise; outstanding, Kinsman, first.

MIAMI—Best, Cathleen Ni Houlihan, fifth; outstanding, Venus, seventh.

TIA JUANA SPECIALS—Tangerine, sixth; Mountain Oaks, ninth.

HAVANA SPECIALS—Lord Vargrave, third, Vain Kate, fifth.

PARLAY—Miss Meise and Venus, straight.

CLOCKERS REVIEW.

FREE CODES—Pet Cat, third, Miami; The Leopard, sixth, New Orleans.

GRAPHIC WEEKLY.

FREE CODES—Fue, fifth, Miami; Tippity Witchet, first, New Orleans.

WEEKLY FLASH.

FREE CODE—Little Visitor, third, New Orleans.

FREE CODE—The Fenian, seventh, New Orleans.

JERRY DUNN

Dr. MacMillan, second, Miami.

### Havana Entries

FIRST RACE—Three year-olds and up, maidens, claiming, purse $600, six furlongs (9): xCaribe 100, xNew Pope 108, Miss Gate 118, xClara Belle 96, xSister Cecelia 108, xHorwin 96, All Irish 100, xFilibuster 109, xBurke 100.

SECOND RACE—Four year-olds and up, claiming, purse $600, six furlongs (19): Vera's Choice 107, British Liner 110, xLittle Black Sheep 108, xFull Moon 100, xLeona Pare 97, xGlenn 105, xMiss Holland 103, xRing Lardner 105, Fonte Ray 100, xLuna 94, Zuther 105, xRedwood 97, xBashful 100, xBuss New 105, xErlanger 105, xBill Blackwell 105, xAunt Deda 100, Meadow Lawn 99.

THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds and up, claiming, purse $700, five furlongs (11): Lord Vargrave 107, Black Deer 107, Belle Hope 99, Beg Pardon 104, Col. Pat 107, Captain Clever 110, Judge Hickman 108, The Gaff 107, Knot Grass 104, Septimus 108, Wanderlust 99.

FOURTH RACE—Three year-olds and up, claiming, purse $700, one mile and fifty yards (9): xPlurality 107, Serbian 107, xHigh Gear 107, xElcorenel 104, Okeechobee 109, Hello Pardner 107, Lady Longridge 104, Evelyn White 102, Romping Mary 93.

FIFTH RACE—Three year-olds and up, claiming, purse $700, one mile and fifty yards (9): Vain Kate 98, Phelan 108, xBethlehem Steel 99, xSwim 104, xFarmak 104, xFirst Flash 104, xSt. Kevin 104, xNebion 107, Ponderosa 100.

SIXTH RACE—For four-year-olds and up, claiming, purse $700, one mile and seventy yards (7): Randel 104, Idego 107, xGallford 94, xStar Option 100, xRandall 108, xPamorel 105, xSilver Springs 111.

### Tia Juana Entries

FIRST RACE—Maiden two-year olds, four furlongs (16): Dick Seth 108, Shane Style 108, Roy St. Clair 108, Lady Julian 108, Three Sixty 113, Christy Mahon 113, Flaxseed 109, Spanish Lay 108, Golden Mac 113, Chiapas 108, Jimmie Trinz 108, Cross Row 100, Moon a 113, Miss Oak and 100, What's the Time 118, Nine Sixty 118.

SECOND RACE—Three-year-olds and up, claiming, elimination race, five and a half furlongs (16): Fra Fat 97, Orlando Kemp 98, xKieldsmond 113, John Barwell 108, xLulu Black 111, xCalthan 108, Shasting 98, Miss Dunbar 106, xVictory Won 108, xBoerna 108, xFinancial Rooster 108, Lad ana 94, xBessie Mack 2nd 106, xHillsdale 108, Rose Roberts 111, xLucille Russell 106.

THIRD RACE—Four year-olds and up, claiming, mile (9): Mannus 108, xMabie Kripp 108, Rag Doll 113, Navajo 115, xMildred Ruth 118, xMiss Edna 118, Dalton 118, Malsavena 104, xRaleigh 110, It 115.

FOURTH RACE—Four year-olds and up, claiming, mile and seventy yards (15): The Wag 98, Car 108, xBelthump 100, xT. J. Pendergast 110, Billy Gibson 115, Royde 115, xHerbie Coles 98, xQuota 101, xCalin 110, Lethe 102, xRainbow 102, xFirebright 113, Black Watch 3rd 108, Chippendale 105, Apricot 110, Lone Pine 115, Pembroke 115, Polly Leighton 106.

FIFTH RACE—Three year-olds and up, claiming, three-quarters of a mile (20): Malvern 104, Amackassin 104, Bedrassie 107, Colonel Matt 108, Heatherer 109, xRing Leader 108, xThe Swab 101, Amour 107, Here I Am 108, Good Hope 108, Roberts 109, xNorfords Last 104, Little Visitor 107, xProclamation 107, xSun Spot 107, Sly Fox 100, Green Spring 108, Jay Mac 109, xNo Wonder 104.

SIXTH RACE—Three year-olds and up, mile and seventy yards (6): xRegalion Prince 114, xWimmer, The Wizard 103, Blarney Stone 117, xLizette 105, Tangerine 116.

SEVENTH RACE—Four year-olds and up, claiming, three-quarters of a mile (5): xThistle Wood 99, xNayarit 113, xFalse Face 110, xBatsman 118, xOdd Seth 107.

EIGHTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, claiming, three-quarters of a mile (18): xPopeye 109, Fast Boy 104, Jack Frost 108, Al Hotfoot 107, xGrace Crow 108, Matinee Idol 109, xPearl Boots 108, Picnic 108, Marie Maxim 108, Krewer 108, xExcuse Me 110, Townsend 106, Ben Box 104, xSpread 106, Pannon 108, Covent Emptor 108, Tia Seth 110, xDr. T. R. Dabney 115.

NINTH RACE—Three year-olds and up, claiming, five furlongs (13): xShasta Limited 98, xMoon Child 100, Smart Horse 10, xLord Valentine 108, My Ruby 110, xMiss Shasta 10, xSubtle 108, Seguas 10, Rubles 100, Cordell 112, Marchetta 103, xMountain Oaks 100, xElisabeth h 105, xOld Crow 100, Kosman 115.

## JOHNSON HOLDS OUT FOR $25,000

By DAVIS J. WALSH.
International News Service Sports Editor.

New York, Feb. 17.—According to the best and most recent advices Clark Griffith is beginning to pay the first installment on the price of success, an ante that all pennant winners of recent years, particularly the New York Yankees, have been forced to meet.

The good word from the fried ham belt is to the effect that Walter Johnson has come out in the open as a holdout for the first time in his career and wants $25,000, not less for another season under the Senatorial yoke.

Walter is merely one of several of Mr. Griffith's young men obsessed with expensive ideas.

"Muddy" Ruel, star catcher, Roger Peckinpaugh, shortstop, and Earl McNeely, outfielder, are among those who live only to harry Mr. Griffith with thoughts of foreclosure of the mortgage on the old homestead. Even Stanley Harris, the boy manager, put the financial slug on Clark at a very early moment and possibly it was Harris' initial success that inspired the others, if a ball player ever needs monetary inspiration.

### EDITH CUMMINGS TOPS GOLF FIELD

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 17.—Players in the women's amateur golf championship of Florida were preparing today for the second day's play on the Palm Beach course.

Miss Edith Cummings of the Onwentsia Club, former national champion led the field yesterday, topping Miss Glenna Collett of Providence by two strokes. Her score was 80. Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, Philadelphia, present national titleholder, came in third with an 83.

### NORTH SHORE TWILIGHT BASEBALL LEAGUE FORMED

At a meeting in St. Joseph's Hall, Lynn, a group of citizens and baseball lovers formed an organization to be known as the North Shore Twilight League, Marblehead, Danvers Town Team, Swampscott A. A., Wakefield, Beverly, Peabody, Cartonville of Salem and the St. Joseph T. A. S. of Lynn will be represented in the circuit. A committee of four, namely, James Toomey of Lynn, Michael Grade of Marblehead, and Harry Watts and Benjamin Hartnett of Salem, have been selected to draw up a schedule of games for the coming season.

### JIM MALONEY TO MEET ROMERO ROJAS FEB. 26

Jim Maloney, South Boston knockout king, has been matched to clash with Quintin Romero Rojas in a ten round bout under the direction of the Commercial A. C. at Mechanics Building on February 26.

It will be Maloney's first bout in Boston since he won over Sully Montgomery. Since then he was returned a victor over Battling McCreary at Portland and over Sailor Maxted at Providence.

### Bouts Last Night

At Lynn—Andy Martin of the South End defeated Johnny Harko of Manchester, N. H., ten rounds. Johnny Ryan of Brookline knocked out Joe Ross of West Lynn in the seventh round.

At Portland, Me.—Cannonball Martin of Brooklyn outpointed Wee Willie Spencer of New York city in a double a z round bout. Wally Theroux of Nashua, N. H., defeated Babe Drexton of Manchester, N. H., six rounds. Kid Moran, Nashua, Panama of Waterville knocked out Rialy Pelletier of Rumford in the second round.

At New Bedford—Young Delaney of Fall River won from Lou Lambert of Portland ten rounds. Ernie McCabe of Canada won from George Adam of Boston ten rounds. Joe Burke of Boston stopped Eli Geiars.

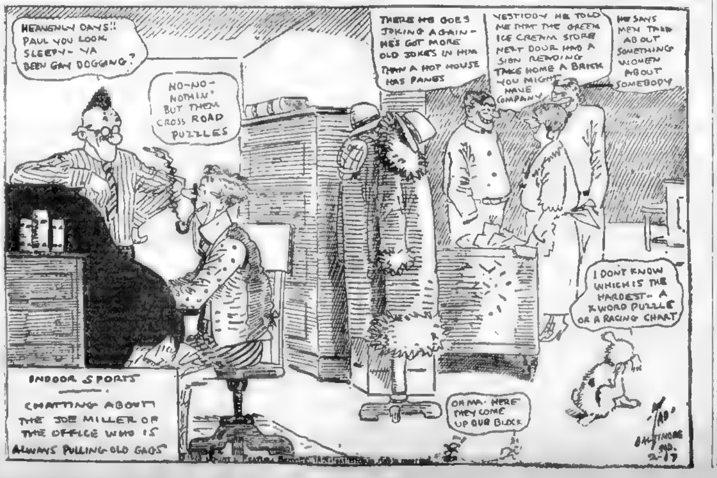
Rochon of Boston won from Gene Mondeau.

At Philadelphia—Frankie Genero, N. Y., outpointed Ed Wolfe, Phila., 10 rounds.

At Norwood—118 Pounds (open)—Joe Dolliver, South Boston, knocked out Frank Jin, Nee, South Boston, three rounds. 127 Pounds (open)—Joe Emmett defeated Frank Smooth, South Boston, two rounds. Pounds (open)—Jim Elwell knocked out Ed Hughes, South Boston, second round.

Good dinner inside.
A cold wet night out.
Crackling fire on the old brick hearth.
Big comfortable man's size chair.
New novel with a noble kick in every chapter.
NOW for a MARLBORO

## Indoor Sports -:- -:- -:- -:- By Tad


HEAVENLY DAYS!! PAUL YOU LOOK SLEEPY - YA BEEN GAH DOGGING?
NO-NO-NOTHIN' BUT THEM CROSS ROAD PUZZLES
THERE HE GOES JOKING AGAIN - HE'S GOT MORE OLD JOKES IN HIM THAN A HOT HOUSE HAS PANES
YESTIDDY HE TOLD ME THAT THE GREEN ICE CREAM STORE NEXT DOOR HAD A SIGN READING "TAKE HOME A BRICK YOU MIGHT HAVE COMPANY"
HE SAYS MEN TALK ABOUT SOMETHING WOMEN ABOUT SOMEBODY
I DON'T KNOW WHICH IS THE HARDEST - A X-WORD PUZZLE OR A RACING CHART
OH MA - HERE THEY COME UP OUR BLOCK
INDOOR SPORTS
CHATTING ABOUT THE JOE MILLER OF THE OFFICE WHO IS ALWAYS PULLING OLD GAGS
TAD
BALTIMORE 2-17

### HOPPE LEADS CANNEFAX AS 5TH BLOCK STARTS

New York, Feb. 17.—Having uncovered the best billiards either champion has shown since the start of the match in winning the third and fourth blocks, Willie Hoppe, balkline king, today made ready for the fifth and sixth block of his three cushion match with Champion Bob Cannefax intrenched behind a lead of 240 to 237.

ARENA
Hockey Tonight, 8:15
BOSTON BRUINS vs.
HAMILTON TIGERS
PRO LEAGUE GAME
SKATING AFTER THE GAME

BEFORE MARRIAGE A MAN YEARNS FOR A WOMAN—

# BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

YEAH AND AFTER MARRIAGE HE EARNS FOR HER, TOO!!

# COOPER IS BACK WITH BRUINS

### Crack Wing Makes First Appearance in Many Weeks Against Hamilton Tonight

**TONIGHT'S LINEUP AT ARENA.**

| Boston Bruins | Hamilton Tigers |
|---|---|
| Shay, lw | rw, R. Green |
| Jackson, c | c, Burch S Green |
| Herberts, Cooper, rw | lw, Roach, Boucher |
| Mitchell, ld | rd, Randal |
| Hitchman, rd | ld, Langois |
| Stewart, g | g, Forbes |

One of those happy occasions that oftentimes happens in baseball is presented tonight at the Arena when a tailender stands an excellent chance of knocking off the league leader when the Boston Bruins tackle the dashing Hamilton Tigers in a National Hockey League game

This possibility is furnished by the presence in the Boston lineup of Carson Cooper, one of hockey's deadliest shots, and almost in a class with Babe Dye in his ability to propel the rubber at amazing speed. To the average fan the mere presence of "Coop" in the lineup might not mean a thing. But facts concerning the last two games between the Bruins and the Tigers furnish some interesting dope.

The Bruins were beaten in both games, 2 to 1. They had many more chances to score, all because a man of Cooper's ability was on the shelf. With Cooper sharing right wing with the dashing Jimmy Herberts, Art Ross has a constant menace on that end of the line, a combination that is bound to cause the Tigers considerable bother in the game.

Opposed to Cooper and Herberts on that side will be little Mickey Roach, the one man who beat the Bruins in the last two games here. Of course, Billy Boucher will also share that wing with Mickey, but the former Boston amateur crack is not a dangerous scorer.

## *Hahn Has Hard Schedule Ahead*

Lloyd Hahn has been invited to compete in a special race against Joie Ray April 3 in Chicago, and is expected to accept the invitation.

Hahn will run in the Georgetown University games Saturday night in Washington in the special 1500-metre contest against Joie Ray and Jimmy Connolly.

He runs in the Legion games Monday in the East Armory.

With Hahn in the city of Boston mile at the Legion games against Joie Ray and Leo Larrivee, which now looks like the lineup, Bostonians are due to see the greatest mile field that has been assembled this Winter.

If Hahn does not run in the National A. A. U. championships Feb. 28 in Louisville, he will compete in the Jasper three-quarter mile special at the Manhattan College games in the [illegible] regiment armory. March 18 he is to start in the Knights of Columbus meet in New York, and April 3 date closes his list.

### AMATEUR HOCKEYISTS ADOPT RESIDENCE RULE

Pittsburgh, Feb. 17.—The much discussed "resistence rule" has been adopted by the United States Amateur Hockey Association, Secretary Roy D. Schooley announced here today after learning the result of a mail vote on the matter.

The rule requires that a player must live in the city which he represents on August 1 preceding the [illegible] season or at least be a [illegible] some school in the city. The [illegible] of the rule is to prevent [illegible] importation of Canadian [illegible] American teams.

### BRITISH BOXERS IN N. Y. BOUTS TONIGHT

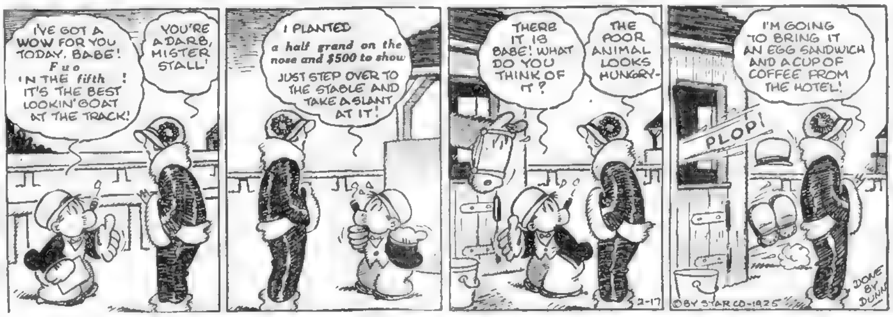
New York, Feb. 17.—Amateur [illegible] Pittsburgh and New York [illegible] America's end in an interesting argument in Madison Square Garden tonight and tomorrow, encountering a team of British champions. The invaders will comprise H. J. Mitchell, J. Elliott, D. O'Hanrahan and G. Gogoy. The Britishers won two bouts and lost two in a recent tournament in Boston.

### Yale Crew in Water

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 17.—Four Yale crews will take to the water in New Haven harbor today, breaking all previous records for getting started at outdoor practice. A new barge, holding 16 men with eight port and eight starboard oars and an aisle down the centre, will be used. The crews have been at work on rowing machines and in the Yale tank during the Winter.

**Moe spent a quiet day yesterday. He had a nose and peep ticket on Wild Lane but the eel had to stay home to do the washing or something else so the plunger got no action for his jack. Today Moe has one that he wired to Lew Abrams, the king of Coney Island, as a real spread. Sugar in kick $16,355.54.**

## *Moe and Joe, They Get the Dough---Sometimes*


I'VE GOT A WOW FOR YOU TODAY, BABE! Fuo 'IN THE fifth'! IT'S THE BEST LOOKIN' GOAT AT THE TRACK!
YOU'RE A DARB, MISTER STALL'
I PLANTED a half grand on the nose and $500 to show JUST STEP OVER TO THE STABLE AND TAKE A SLANT AT IT!
THERE IT IS BABE! WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT?
THE POOR ANIMAL LOOKS HUNGRY-
I'M GOING TO BRING IT AN EGG SANDWICH AND A CUP OF COFFEE FROM THE HOTEL!
PLOP!
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## OLD TIME SPORT STORIES

by GEORGE V. TUOHEY

### "Golden Jubilee" Recalls Tremendous Excitement Caused By Delegation of Old Boston Baseball Stars

*This is the thirty-first of a series of articles on old-time athletes by George V. Tuohey, famous sports promoter, who has been prominent in athletics for thirty-five years.*

The "golden jubilee" of the National League, held recently at the old Broadway Central Hotel in New York, in the very same room in which there gathered in the Centennial year the group which reorganized the then controlling body and placed under it the foundation on which it exists today, recalls the tremendous excitement caused by the announcement at the time of the defection of Al Spalding, Cal McVey, Ross Barnes and Jim White four of Boston's star players, who had "resigned" to join the Chicago team.

These men had been the mainstay of the Bostons for the previous past five years, when the organization was known as the National Association of Baseball Clubs, and the loss was certainly a severe one, as Boston had been up to that time the hotbed of the game and teams representing this city had won the pennant three years in succession.

#### PREMIER PITCHER

Spalding was the premier pitcher of his time, while White was a catcher of the highest standing. Barnes was an infielder and McVey was a substitute. The defection of the "Big Four," the original quartet to be thus called, tore Boston apart, especially as the club would have to face stronger opposition than ever in the new organization.

Harry Wright, manager of the team, with characteristic energy and courage set about building up a pennant winner, and secured a lot of new men, so that the new group consisted of Harry Wright, Joe Borden, pitcher; the late Tim Murnane, Tommy Beals, Harry Schaefer, Andy Leonard, James O'Rourke, Jack Manning, F. T. Whitney, George Wright, John Morrill, Lew Brown and T. McGinley. For a short time there was a W. R. Parks, who had been obtained from Western Pennsylvania.

#### FINISHED FOURTH

The year was a hard one on the field for the re-organized Bostons but they managed to finish in fourth place. Financially the club lost heavily, but met every obligation to the last cent.

However, the accession of Tommy Bond, who with Jack Manning, was at the New York meeting the other day, and the return of White to Boston had a beneficent effect and Boston won the pennant in 1877 and also the following year.

Pennant winning after that became almost a habit with this city's teams up to and including the entire life of the original National League, and many times since Boston has been represented by not only pennant winners, but world's champions as well in both the American and National leagues.

The league, as formed in 1876, finished in the following order: Chicago, Hartford, St. Louis, Boston, Louisville, Mutuals of Brooklyn, Athletics of Philadelphia, and Cincinnati.

#### CANCELS CONTRACT

During 1876, the first year of the new league, there were many exciting incidents, but probably that which caused the greatest excitement was the appearance here on Memorial Day of the Chicago team, with the former Boston players as their star performers. Spalding and White were in the "points" for Chicago, while Joe Burden, the "Phenomen," and John Morrill were the Boston battery.

So great was the crowd that the sale of tickets was stopped, but fences were torn down and fully [illegible] persons watched the battle [illegible] went to Chicago by a 5 to 1 score, however.

It was during this year that "Josephus the Phenomen," as Borden was called, "blew up." He had pitched well for Philadelphia the previous year due possibly to the fact that he had a bit of curve on his ball but no one knew it. When he came to Boston he apparently lost the knack of putting the twist on it, for he proved such an easy mark that steps were taken to get him to cancel his contract, which was for a three-year period, an unheard of thing at the time. This was finally accomplished, but it's a story [illegible] worth telling in detail at a future time.

Of that original Boston club there are [illegible] George Wright and John Morrill, both with the firm of Wright & Ditson, the sporting good dealers on Washington street; Tommy Bond, now holding a Federal position, and Jack Manning, doorman at the Boston Lodge of Elks, all hale and hearty and apparently good for many years to come.

## *B. C. Battery Men Find Armory Locked*

Battery candidates for the Boston College baseball team were ready to begin their preliminary training, but were forced to postpone the start indefinitely, because the Commonwealth Armory was not available. Manager John Hopkins had announced to the candidates that practice for the pitchers and catchers would begin, but he was informed by the armory officials that no arrangements had been made for the Eagles.

Coach Jack Slattery was anxiously awaiting to start work as Eagle coach and his plans have been upset by the sudden change. If the good weather continues, Coach Slattery may have the men report at Alumni Field to start their season's work.

### LANDIS CONSIDERING REINSTATING DOLAN

New York, Feb. 17.—Commissioner Landis intimated he would "consider very carefully" an application for reinstatement from Cozy Dolan, ex-coach of the New York Giants, who was banished from baseball along with Jimmy O'Connell, after the bribery scandal.

Landis made this unexpected revelation after a conference with District Attorney Banton on the results of the latter's recent investigation into the bribery scandal.

Afterward the District Attorney announced that his inquiry would be continued and also that Landis had offered to produce any major league ball player desired for examination, as well as defray all expenses involved.

### WALTHOUR ENTERS N. Y. 6-DAY GRIND

Chicago, Feb. 17.—The team of Bobby Walthour, Jr., and Reggie McNamara, winner of the six-day international bicycle race which ended here Saturday night, have left for New York, where they will compete together in another international event next month.

Stockholm and Kockler, a Chicago team which finished fifth in the race here, will also enter the New York affair, as well as Mickey Walsh of this city, who is expected to be paired with an Eastern rider for the coming race.

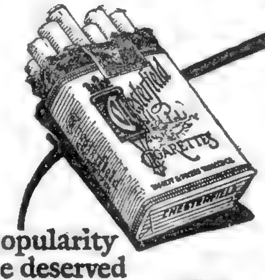
# NURMI TO TRY MILE IN 4.06 AT STADIUM

If Paavo Nurmi accepts the invitation of the Harvard Athletic Association to run in the Stadium on Mar. 2 in conjuction with the Harvard-Tech dual meet he will attempt to set up new world's record of 4.06 for the mile.

It is reasonable to suppose that pressure will be brought to bear on Nurmi to accept this invitation. His present schedule of meets carries him far into March but it is expected that the athletic authorities of his native land will grant him permission to wait over for this opportunity.

The Harvard cinder track is one of the finest if not the fastest in the world. No better opportunity has yet been presented Nurmi, who is quoted as saying that he can break his own mark of 4.10 2-5 seconds.

Back of every big swing in popular taste is a reason



Such popularity must be deserved

We state it as our honest belief that the tobaccos used in Chesterfield are of finer quality [and hence of better taste] than in any other cigarette at the price.

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The WNAC American Women's Club Talks go on the air now at 10.40 A. M.
Martha Lee begins her talk about 10:55 A. M.

# RADIO AMERICAN

The Boston American, broadcasting through WNAC, daily, will give latest news flashes at 11:30 a.m. and 1:31, 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. The American will broadcast Foxy Grandpa's bedtime story and little stories about the folks in the funny strips through WNAC at 5:30 daily.

## FOUR-R DATA SHEETS AND RADIO ATLAS

All necessary data and diagrams for b[illegible]ing the [illegible] receiver will be available [illegible]

[illegible] Book [illegible] in the paper [illegible] available for the p[illegible]

The Radio Atlas [illegible] latest list of broadcast [illegible] together with their wave [illegible] cycle frequency owner of station [illegible] the location. After ea[illegible] space is provided for marking down the two or three dial readings of [illegible] set. In this way, once you have heard a station it is an easy matter to pick it up again by [illegible] your log book and [illegible] program is on.

Space is also provided for new stations [illegible] Canadian [illegible] lengths [illegible] Maps of [illegible] various sections [illegible] tries and of [illegible] the Radio Atlas.

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## RADIO AMATEURS WILL CONGRATULATE COOLIDGE

Washington [illegible]

[illegible]

## FIRE DAMAGES NEW BROOKLINE APARTMENT

[illegible]

## FRANK CRAVEN WILL ADDRESS RADIO FANS

FRANK CRAVEN

[illegible]

## PAUL WEIGEL HAS WON SOCIETY DIVORCEE

[illegible]

KEYSTONE ARRESTERS for LIGHTNING PROTECTION

## Martha Lee's Radio Chat

Broadcast through Station WNAC, Shepard Stores, by Martha Lee

WINTER COOKING CHEER

When I planned material for today's talk it was with wintry days in mind and [illegible] snow flurries and ravenous appetites. To-day it seems as though Spring menus would be more in order, but [illegible]

Cream of Corn Soup
Roast Lamb
Roast Potatoes
Peas and Carrots
Chilled Grapefruit Salad
Baked Date Custard
Sponge Cake
Coffee

Cream of corn soup is easily made with canned corn and goes very well [illegible] I'm sure [illegible] of you have a good [illegible] for this soup.

To make [illegible] potatoes [illegible]

[illegible]

### RECIPE No. 931 BAKED DATE CUSTARD

Beat four eggs until foamy, add [illegible] of a teaspoonful of salt, a [illegible] less than ½ c. sugar, a [illegible] nutmeg and mix thoroughly. Then add one quart of [illegible] and two cupfuls of [illegible] and chopped dates. Place in a well buttered bowl. Set in a [illegible] of the way [illegible] erate oven until a knife blade [illegible]

### MENU NO. 2

[illegible]
[illegible] Beans
[illegible]
Fig Pudding
[illegible] and Marmalade or Saltines
Coffee

[illegible] cracker or fine bread crumbs over it. Half an hour before serving bake in a hot oven.

New potatoes are out now and for a change they will go well baked with their jackets on. They take about ¾ of an hour in a hot oven.

Children always like puddings and, fortunately, physicians regard simple puddings as a valuable part of their diet. Fig pudding comes under the [illegible] of "simple" puddings and will prove a favorite with the young members of your family. And the others will like it too. I'll be glad to send a recipe for it.

As a finishing touch to this meal, [illegible] saltines.

### MENU NO. 3

Pureed Pea Soup
Roast Beef
Baked Potatoes
Baked Onions
Tomato Jelly Salad
Apple-Raisin Cobbler
American Cheese
Coffee

Pureed pea soup can be made of canned peas or dried peas, as preferred. If dried peas are used they should be soaked a few hours and then cooked until tender.

If canned peas are used rinse them with cold water. Then add to the peas [illegible] of onion, two cupfuls of [illegible] water, a small bay leaf, a [illegible] parsley, a teaspoonful sugar, [illegible] pepper and salt. Simmer [illegible] twenty minutes, put in colander and [illegible] through as much of the pulp as possible. Then bring a pint of milk to scalding point in a double boiler. Thicken with a tablespoonful of butter blended with one and one-half tablespoonfuls flour. When creamy add the pureed mixture and stir well.

Wipe a six pound roast of beef with a damp cloth, sprinkle with [illegible] pepper and flour. Put in [illegible] roaster [illegible] cook in a [illegible] oven for twenty minutes. Then [illegible] the heat and cook twenty minutes longer. At the end of that time [illegible] the meat six or eight [illegible] potatoes and the same number of medium sized onions and two [illegible] green peppers. Season the onions, potatoes and peppers, cover [illegible] cook at the same temperature for one hour longer.

[illegible] jelly salad as a side dish goes very well with this baked [illegible]

Apple-raisin cobbler is best served [illegible] and can be baked while the meat is roasting because the dripping cannot spatter as it does when open roasting pans are used. This cobbler also requires a moderate oven and can occupy the same rack as the self basting roaster.

### Recipe No. 935 APPLE-RAISIN COBBLER

Peel, core and slice four tart apples. Put into a well-buttered baking dish. Add ⅓ cup seeded raisins, 1 cup sugar. Pour over this a batter made of one lightly beaten egg, ¼ cup of sugar, 1 cup flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 2 tablespoons melted butter, ⅛ teaspoon vanilla and ½ cup milk. Bake in a moderate oven about 35 minutes and serve with a small square of American cheese.

## LAST NIGHT

By THE LISTENER

Shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, I heard the WNAC announcer break in with a special Boston American news flash saying that Floyd Collins had been reached [illegible] was found dead. Right after [illegible] the news I went out on the [illegible] and told the neighbors [illegible] corner policeman. Needless to say, nobody had heard the news and they all wanted to know where I had heard about it. I told them it came from the Boston Evening American via WNAC and then you should have seen them run to the newsstands after the latest edition.

About the most unusual condition insofar as local listeners were concerned last night, was the temporary change in WNAC's wave. This was done in order to determine whether or not clearer transmission could be obtained. The wave was shifted from 280 to 365 meters and while the volume seemed to be about the same, the quality was greatly superior, and there was positively no heterodyning. The Department of Commerce would do well by authorizing WNAC to use this wave permanently, as it makes all the difference in the world to the local radio audience.

I tied in with WEEI for awhile and listened to the A & P. Gypsies, who were performing at the New York studio. This weekly feature from WEEI is an excellent one, and I know a great many people who look forward to it with eagerness.

Receiving conditions during the evening were poor again. There was an abundance of heavy static which made things unpleasant most of the time. Of course, with the local stations having such good programs, it wasn't as bad as it might have been. Fading was also prevalent on the distant stations, and I noticed it even on WEAF later in the evening.

On the shorter waves the heterodyning was simply prohibitive to good reception. There are so many [illegible] stations crammed in between 200 and 278 meters that I doubt if most of them are heard outside their own local radius. Two years ago we were kicking because we had to depend on one or two stations for our nationwide entertainment, now we are kicking because there are so many broadcasting stations. Wonder where it will all end?

## TODAY'S RADIO PROGRAMS

### Local Stations

280—WNAC, SHEPARD STORES

[illegible] P. M.—Noon service, broadcast from King's Chapel
[illegible] P. M.—Shepard Colonial concert orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—Incidental music, broadcast from Loew's State theatre
[illegible] P. M.—Shepard Colonial dance orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—Campfire [illegible]
[illegible]
6:30 P. M.—Boston Evening American Orchestra concert [illegible] overture [illegible] Serenade [illegible] Barcarolle [illegible] of Hoffmann, Offenbach [illegible] solo, "May Morning" (Manney) [illegible] Death Song" (Sharpe) [illegible] (Massenet), [illegible] and march "El Dorado" (Herbert) [illegible] "Petite Trianon" (in four parts) [illegible]
[illegible]

476—WEEI, EDISON LIGHT

[illegible] P. M.—Civitan Club from Chamber of Commerce
[illegible] P. M.—Paul Perler and his orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—Joe New[illegible] and His [illegible]
[illegible] P. M.—Big Brother Club [illegible]
[illegible] P. M.—Sports talk by Stanley Ward
[illegible] P. M.—[illegible] male quartet
[illegible] P. M.—From New York: Theodore Leb[illegible]
[illegible] P. M.—Father [illegible]
[illegible] "Today"
[illegible] P. M.—Theodore Lebmann, violinist
[illegible] P. M.—Gold Dust Twins
[illegible] P. M.—Eveready Hour
10:00-11:00 P. M.—[illegible] Orchestra

268—WDBR, WORCESTER—45

12:00-2:00 P. M.—Noon day [illegible]
[illegible] P. M.—Tea [illegible]
[illegible] 5:00 P. M.—Program from studio
[illegible] P. M.—Story teller
Silent night

270—WEAN, PROVIDENCE—45

[illegible] P. M.—[illegible] orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—Weather report
[illegible] P. M.—[illegible] of program
[illegible] P. M.—Shepard [illegible]
[illegible] P. M.—Inside [illegible] Emery Theatre concert orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—Weather report
[illegible] P. M.—Shepard dance orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—WEAN dinner dance
[illegible] P. M.—Boston American Orchestra relayed from WNAC

337—WBZ, SPRINGFIELD—55

[illegible] P. M.—Ensemble
[illegible] P. M.—Market report
7:00 P. M.—Bedtime story
[illegible] P. M.—Course in Poultry Husbandry
Ward market report
[illegible] P. M.—Course [illegible]
[illegible] P. M.—[illegible] hockey game [illegible] Brown vs. Hamilton
9:55 P. M.—Time signals. Weather

360—WJAR, PROVIDENCE—45

[illegible] P. M.—Hotel orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—[illegible]
[illegible] P. M.—Eveready Hour
10:30 P. M.—[illegible] Orchestra

441—WDWF, PROVIDENCE

[illegible] 10:30 P. M.—[illegible] dance orchestra

270—WEAN, PROVIDENCE—45

[illegible] P. M.—Shepard concert orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—Weather report
12:15 P. M.—WEAN Noonday Club
[illegible] P. M.—Organ recital by Prof. Benedict
[illegible] P. M.—Shepard dance orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—Weather report
[illegible] P. M.—Shepard dance orchestra
[illegible] P. M.—[illegible] Providence Athletic Association

WOR (405), NEWARK: Music.
6:[illegible] P. M.—WCAE (462), PITTS.: Dinner [illegible]
W[illegible] (419), MPLS.-ST. PAUL: Children's hour, dinner concert
W[illegible] (476), DALLAS: Bedtime story
W[illegible] (395), PHILA.: Orchestra
WGN (370), CHIC.: Sleepy time
WGY (380), SCHENECTADY: Trio
WHN (360), NEW YORK: Strand roof orchestra
6:[illegible] P. M.—WRC (469), WASH.: Stories, dinner music
WOC (484), DAVENPORT: Chimes, sports
7:[illegible] P. M.—CKAC (425), MONTREAL: [illegible]
W[illegible] KANSAS CITY: Piano [illegible]
[illegible]
WHK (266), CLEVE.: Musical program, 2 [illegible]
W[illegible] (4[illegible]), PHILA.: Musicale, 2 hrs.
WJZ (455), NEW YORK: Wall St. Tour [illegible]
[illegible]
8:[illegible] P. M.—CKAC (425), MONTREAL: [illegible]
[illegible]
W[illegible] (30[illegible]), MEMPHIS: Bedtime talk
[illegible]

WSB (428), ATLANTA: Orchestra
WEAR (390), CLEVELAND: Orchestra and vocal program, 4 hrs.
9:15 P. M.—WREO (286), LANSING: Band, glee club
9:20 P. M.—KYW (536), CHIC.: Farm Bureau program
WRC (469), WASH.: Quartet
9:30 P. M.—WFAA (476), DALLAS: Choral club
WHN (361), NEW YORK: Musicale
WJZ (455), New York: Organ
WMC (500), MEMPHIS: Musical program
WOAI (394.5), SAN ANTONIO: Entertainers
10:[illegible] P. M.—CN[illegible] REGINA: [illegible]
[illegible]
10:[illegible] P. M.—[illegible] MILWAUKEE: [illegible] Serenaders
10:30 P. M.—CKAC (425), MONTREAL: [illegible]
[illegible]
WBAP (476), FORTH WORTH: Musicale
[illegible]
WOI (360), AMES: Weather
11:00 P. M.—KDKA (309), E. PITTS.: Concert program
[illegible] LOS ANGELES: Organ
[illegible]
KGO (300), OAKLAND: Banjoist, "Old [illegible]"
[illegible]
WPW (273), TARRYTOWN: Orchestra
11:35 P. M.—WIP (509), PHILA.: [illegible]
[illegible] WOAW (526), OMAHA: [illegible]
[illegible] WLW (422), CINN.: [illegible]
[illegible] LOS ANGELES: [illegible]
[illegible] HOLLYWOOD: [illegible]
[illegible]
2:[illegible] A. M.—W[illegible] KANSAS CITY: [illegible]
[illegible] LOS ANGELES: [illegible]
[illegible]

### By the Clock

6:00 P. M.—WCX (517), DETROIT: Dinner concert
WEAF (492), NEW YORK: Dinner concert
WEBH (516), NEW YORK: Uncle [illegible] Story telling
WGR (319), BUFFALO: Quartet, one and one-half hours
WHK (283), CLEVE.: Radiograms, [illegible]
WTAM (389), CLEVE.: Orchestra, one [illegible]
6:05 P. M.—WIP (509), PHILA.: [illegible] dance
6:15 P. M.—KDKA (309), E. PITTS.: Dinner concert, also by KDKA [illegible] story

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In addition to Mr. Stevens [illegible] officers elected were Henry Nejand, vice-president, Robert Hearns, vice-president, and a board of nine directors.

Among the guests were Charles G. Ferris, president of Gilchrist Company, William Jardine, vice-president, Samuel Vorenberg, vice-president, Felix Vorenberg, vice-president, and Frederick Vorenberg, treasurer.

## DORCHESTER BUSINESS MEN BANQUET TOMORROW

[illegible] annual banquet of the Dorchester Board of Trade will be held at the Hotel Westminster tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock.

John P. English, resident manager of the Alexander Hamilton Institute, [illegible] graduate of Dartmouth College, class of 1916, will be the principal speaker. He will forecast business [illegible]

[illegible] Shaw, director of the Income Tax Bureau of the State, will speak [illegible] Income Tax as It Relates [illegible] and Tangible Property."

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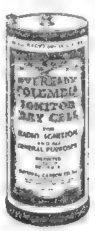
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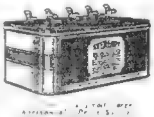

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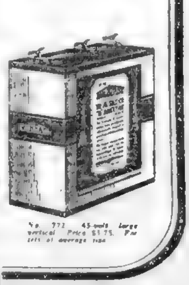

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**This Day in Our History**

THIS is the anniversary of the incorporation of Bath, Me., in 1781. Bath was the first town incorporated under the United States Government. Formerly famous for its ship building, it is now comparatively obscure.

# NORA LEE A Story of Flaming Youth

## Heart and Soul of 1924 Flapper Laid Bare in Best Story by Author of "Chickie"

**START THE STORY HERE TODAY**

Margaret Meadows married Will Lee at seventeen. His dissolute habits soon made her miserable. The night he raised his hand to his two-year-old child in a [illegible] rage she slipped from his home with her baby. Margaret supported her daughter by teaching school in several villages, finally settling in Fairdale, where she met Andrew and they fell in love. But he was tied to an invalid wife and Margaret refused to let him leave her. Nora, at seventeen, fell in love with Dane Herrick. Andrew was killed in an auto accident. Nora met Maxwell Reed, who made love to her. Margaret died and Nora was left alone. She plunged into a fast set of flappers. Dane upbraided her for her association with Max.

NOW CONTINUE THE STORY

### By ELENORE MEHERIN

MARJORIE sighed: "Of course, there's that side [illegible] I've been considering middle age. They say [illegible] women get terribly lonesome. I'm afraid that at the age [illegible] or 50 I might suddenly be seized with a wild longing [illegible] tragedy of that [illegible] [illegible] golden haired daughter when I'm [illegible]

[illegible]

### No Curl Papers

The [illegible] a woman [illegible] to forget [illegible] for a man, [illegible] she ceases to think of herself [illegible]

[illegible] think I am [illegible]

[illegible] you're pretty [illegible] of your husband. What I care more than anything [illegible] to keep up your own interests and your own friends [illegible] want to keep his interest in you [illegible] fever heat. You can't sit at home [illegible] moon and hope to hold any man [illegible] in contact with the vivid [illegible] You'll grow [illegible]

[illegible] laughed faintly. A swift [illegible] of herself already [illegible] limp on a log [illegible] [illegible] I don't go to bed in curl [illegible] and I'm awfully particular [illegible] "Did I seem colorless to [illegible]

[illegible] glanced quietly at the young [illegible] "It was like that twelve years ago" [illegible] thought bitterly.

[illegible] she said aloud. "I'm a damn [illegible] but just the same a girl has [illegible] keep up on her bit. To keep step [illegible] a man in marriage it's well for [illegible] to be half a mile ahead of him [illegible] time. Let him get breathless [illegible] catching up with you. Make him so [illegible] doing that he'll never have a chance to pursue anyone else."

"Do you think all men are im[illegible] to be off and pursuing [illegible]"

### Invisible Things

"Yes. If they ever suspect they're [illegible] they won't rest until they've [illegible] the fetters free. Never let [illegible] know you have been bound. Keep the throngs invisible if you want to keep them strong."

"Oh! You speak as though the [illegible] has to do all the worrying. Why should we? Doesn't love mean [illegible] much to a man?"

"Before marriage it means more; afterwards, less. For a man has [illegible] interests. Most women haven't. [illegible] the pity of it. They've nothing else to concern them, so they [illegible] on love night, noon and morning. They hold it so tight they strangle it. But if they had other pursuits, they'd let love fly about in freedom. Then it would never go [illegible] for love is never so closely [illegible] as when its wings are [illegible]"

[illegible] went into the house in a state of suppressed, boiling excitement. She set the table, strewing the flowers about capriciously. She got down books from the shelves and while the potatoes baked she [illegible]

[illegible]

"[illegible] What have I done? Or seen? [illegible]"

[illegible] commonplace [illegible] six o'clock and [illegible] seven and [illegible]

[illegible] the street. [illegible] Dane stripped [illegible]

[illegible] He called out gayly. "Hello, Nora Lee."

Tears [illegible] unexplainable [illegible] to her eyes. She didn't answer.

He flung into the room and [illegible] "What's the matter?"

She gasped. [illegible]

He came over [illegible] [illegible] But you're crying!"

"Well, it's long after seven. Long after. You could at least have phoned!"

"Oh, is that it? You weren't worried were you?"

### Costly Anguish

She [illegible] He [illegible] seeing [illegible] pleased. "I [illegible] but you [illegible] and I couldn't get a chance to phone again. I was at San Mateo at the Merthes. Then [illegible] friends of theirs came up just as I was leaving and insisted that I come over and look at the site where [illegible] planning to build. It's a wonder of a place. I've got a great deal. If it goes [illegible] there I'll [illegible] about $[illegible] for us."

She said tremulously and lightly [illegible] "It would need to be a large sum to make up for the anguish I've suffered."

"When?"

"This last hour and a half."

He burst out laughing. "My darling, your anguish comes high, doesn't [illegible]"

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## Beginning or Ending?

DRAWN BY POPINI

"AND so they were married and lived happily ever after!" So runs the last line of most [illegible] popular novels of the day. But wouldn't it [illegible] wonderful if they started the book that way in[illegible] of ending it so? Just think [illegible] adventure and romance and [illegible] the wedding, and two who love share all these [illegible] to the happy ending, instead of going through it all before the ceremony and having nothing more to look forward to than a commonplace, every-day sort of existence—wouldn't it be wonderful? Romance and adventure are wonderful at any time, but I think it would be so much more fun to share it all with the one [illegible] love. And I don't see why they don't [illegible] beginning. It would be so much [illegible] interesting. [illegible] agree with me? Pell

# SECRETS OF HEALTH

**By Charles A. L. Reed, M. D.**
Former President of the American Medical Association

[illegible] that of [illegible] nerve and thereby registering certain impressions or images upon [illegible]

This [illegible] has been [illegible]

[illegible]

This has been left exposed by modern attire chiefly because it contains the various orifices of [illegible] to the body [illegible] face that we take [illegible] through the face [illegible]

It is through the face [illegible] wave [illegible] light waves carry their [illegible] body.

Now, however, [illegible] that light exer[illegible] influence on nutrition by [illegible] effect transmitted through [illegible] face of the body.

This new truth and its application take into consideration so many important facts that the [illegible] together under the head of "helio-hygiene" for the well, and "helio-[illegible]" for the sick.

[illegible] rickets and other disease of low nutrition.

[illegible] people to keep well and [illegible] keep their nutrition to the highest point are going about their rooms [illegible]

[illegible] lying this fact is the same principle [illegible]

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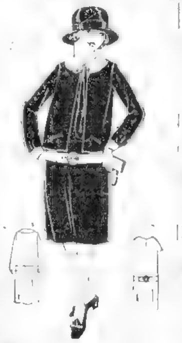
**A POPULAR STYLE**



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# BEAUTY OF CLEAR SKIN

**By MARIA JERITZA**
Prima Donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company and One of the Most Beautiful Women of the Day.

SO many letters reach me asking how to banish blackheads, enlarged pores and the unpleasant skin irritations which generally accompany blackheads, that I find it advisable to write frequently on the subject.

There are many methods of combating and eliminating blackheads. I have described several, such as the soap and water, steaming and ice method, also the systematic application of creams and astringent tonics.

Of course, in the case of blackheads there can be no doubt that prevention is better than cure. And the means of prevention is cleanliness within and without.

But here's a plan that works both ways—that is, it both removes the objectionable defects and tends to prevent their reappearance. From every standpoint this process is sure to help your complexion and can't possibly have any ill effect.

[illegible] eat pure olive oil in a small granite-ware pan until it's warm as you can comfortably endure it on your face. Then rub it on your skin wherever the blackheads appear. A complete facial bath of the warm oil won't hurt you. Leave it on about ten minutes, then wipe it carefully off on a rough Turkish towel, rubbing thoroughly, but not too strenuously and being careful never to rub down but always upward, in an outward, circular direction.

The chances are, this vigorous rubbing will remove every blackhead as well as the oil. Now apply more olive oil—this time with a drop or two of benzoin added. For benzoin is a bleach and will [illegible] any tendency of the olive oil to darken your skin. Remove the second application of oil carefully.

The best time for this treatment is just before retiring, for if you go out into the air immediately afterward, your skin [illegible] moist from the oil as it is likely to be, may attract more flecks of dust which will settle in the oil on your face. Then your last condition will be worse than your first.

Skin pores overburdened with oil, perspiration, dust and other foreign matter accumulate blackheads, which are nothing more than various forms of dirt clogging the skin. The tiny pores become stretched in their vain efforts to discharge this grime.

Finally, the dirt and oil pull at and burden the skin pores to such an extent that irritation [illegible] pimples—may result.

Keep your system washed by drinking plenty of water. How much water do you drink every day? Count the number of glasses that are your average. You may find to your surprise that the total is far less than the six or eight glasses daily you should drink.

Dress loosely in porous garments to ventilate your skin. Make sure that your bowels and stomach are in good condition, insuring perfect elimination of impurities. Drink plenty of pure water. Keep your skin immaculately clean.

Follow these suggestions and there's not a reason in the world why, if you're healthy, you shouldn't possess a beautiful complexion free from blackheads and enlarged pores.

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# Ways of a Husband

**By Ann Lisle**

ROSA'S voice softened to [illegible]

[illegible]

"[illegible] go. You shall see now how [illegible]"

She [illegible] toward the door. But Ra[illegible] was before her.

[illegible]

[illegible] blazed into mine as she demanded:

"Do you permit that Rafael shall keep me prisoner here?" Then her voice softened to a seductive purr as she turned toward Jim.

[illegible]

Before Jim [illegible]

Without a word I went toward the open door.

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## THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

*The Boston Evening American will [illegible] published. Address "Best Joke," Boston American.*

[illegible]

[illegible] think that this one is doing pretty well on an empty stomach."

[illegible]SON

138 New London [illegible]

## SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

*The Boston Evening American [illegible] published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston American.*

There was [illegible] exposed to [illegible] Little Joe [illegible] would have [illegible] "I can't eat [illegible] it's frozen."

MRS. MARGARET BURKE, 439 Broadway, Newport, R. I.

# ADVICE TO LOVELORN

**By Beatrice Fairfax**

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX: [illegible]

Every time I approach the subject of marriage she states that her financial support is needed at home. [illegible] the engagement because of our disagreements. Kindly give me your opinion. TROUBLED.

I [illegible] argument [illegible] collect household linen for use in the home they hope later to establish [illegible] a matter of per[illegible]

[illegible] a home [illegible]

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## THE THIMBLE THEATRE

### Batt Protects His Good Looks—By SEGAR

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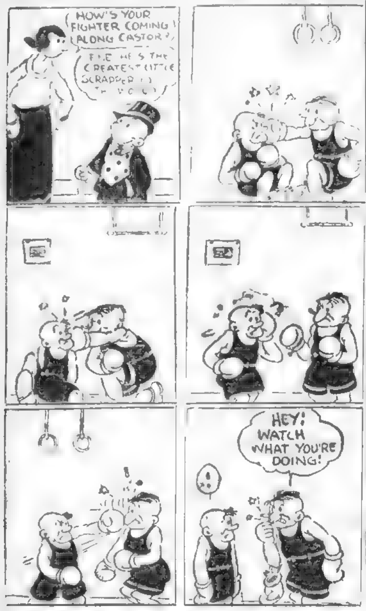
HOW'S YOUR FIGHTER COMING ALONG CASTOR?
FINE HE'S THE GREATEST LITTLE SCRAPPER IN TH' WORLD!
HEY! WATCH WHAT YOU'RE DOING!

## KRAZY KAT

### The Kat Ought to Know—By HERRIMAN

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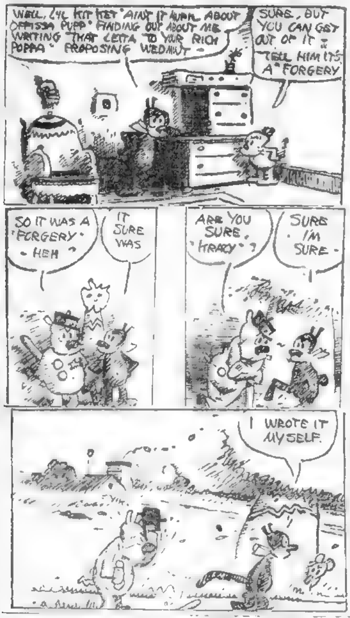
WELL, L'IL KIT KET AIN'T IT AWFUL ABOUT OFFISSA PUPP FINDING OUT ABOUT ME WRITING THAT LETTA TO YOUR RICH POPPA PROPOSING WEDLUK—
SURE, BUT YOU CAN GET OUT OF IT—TELL HIM IT'S A "FORGERY"
SO IT WAS A "FORGERY"—HEH?
IT SURE WAS
ARE YOU SURE, "KRAZY"?
SURE I'M SURE—
I WROTE IT MYSELF.

# Three Minute Journeys

By Temple Manning

IN Cameroon, the little Fr[illegible] and [illegible] 'tween [illegible] French [illegible] do not [illegible] adorning [illegible] throats [illegible] ornament [illegible]

Then [illegible] girls have [illegible] to make them [illegible] distorted lines are [illegible] beauty and no woman [illegible] boast of this possession can [illegible] the attentions of [illegible]

As the years pass [illegible] lugs [illegible] and greater proportions [illegible] sometimes reach [illegible] protrude two or three [illegible] the rest of the face [illegible] the chin. A woman [illegible] as glorious a development [illegible] has little need to trouble [illegible] with other decorations. She is [illegible] in her [illegible] to attract [illegible] virtue of [illegible] ornament.

The coiffures of the women of Cameroon would vie with the most elaborate headdresses of any period of European history. The young girls have their hair braided very tightly in innumerable fine plaits. But the [illegible] have bands of [illegible]

Aside from these unusual decora[illegible] clothing. A [illegible] of beads a[illegible]

The people of Cameroon live in [illegible] wood poles for [illegible] for the roof [illegible] for the walls. The[illegible] to put their [illegible] poles are fas[illegible] ears and the [illegible] its shape by [illegible] together.

[illegible] this country is very [illegible] a plentiful crop of [illegible] cassava, cacao, oil palm [illegible] rubber. It has had [illegible] under the [illegible] Portuguese [illegible] Fernando Po.

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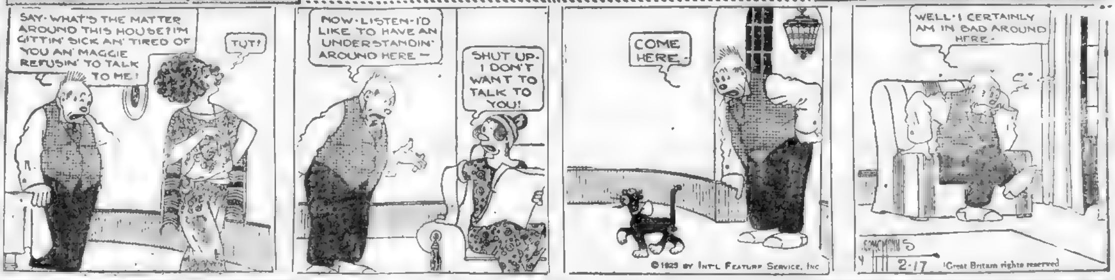
## BRINGING UP FATHER

### Jiggs in Bad All Around

### By George McManus


SAY—WHAT'S THE MATTER AROUND THIS HOUSE? I'M GITTIN' SICK AN' TIRED OF YOU AN' MAGGIE REFUSIN' TO TALK TO ME!
TUT!
NOW—LISTEN—I'D LIKE TO HAVE AN UNDERSTANDIN' AROUND HERE—
SHUT UP. I DON'T WANT TO TALK TO YOU!
COME HERE.
WELL—I CERTAINLY AM IN BAD AROUND HERE—
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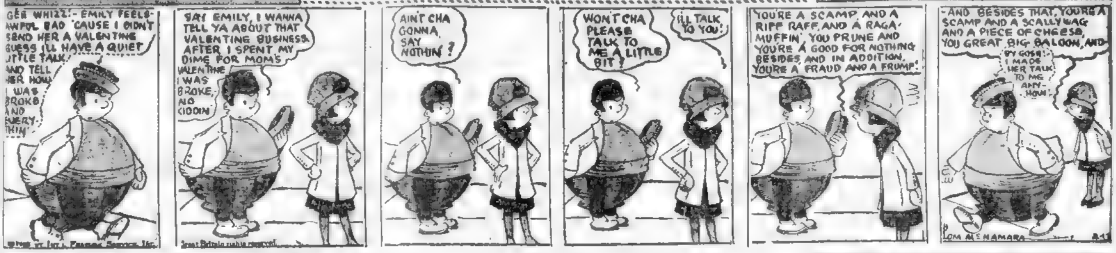
## US BOYS

### Skinny's a Little Optimist

### By McNamara


GEE WHIZZ!—EMILY FEELS AWFUL BAD 'CAUSE I DIDN'T SEND HER A VALENTINE GUESS I'LL HAVE A QUIET LITTLE TALK AND TELL HER HOW I WAS BROKE AND EVERYTHIN'
SAY EMILY, I WANNA TELL YA ABOUT THAT VALENTINE BUSINESS. AFTER I SPENT MY DIME FOR MOM'S VALENTINE I WAS BROKE, NO KIDDIN'
AIN'T CHA GONNA SAY NOTHIN'?
WON'T CHA PLEASE TALK TO ME A LITTLE BIT?
I'LL TALK TO YOU!
YOU'RE A SCAMP AND A RIFF RAFF AND A RAGAMUFFIN, YOU PRUNE AND YOU'RE A GOOD FOR NOTHING BESIDES, AND IN ADDITION, YOU'RE A FRAUD AND A FRUMP!
—AND BESIDES THAT, YOU'RE A SCAMP AND A SCALLYWAG AND A PIECE OF CHEESE, YOU GREAT BIG BALOON, AND—
BY GOSH! I MADE HER TALK TO ME ANY-HOW!
TOM McNAMARA

## GOLDBERG'S CARTOONS

### People Who Put You to Sleep—No. 86

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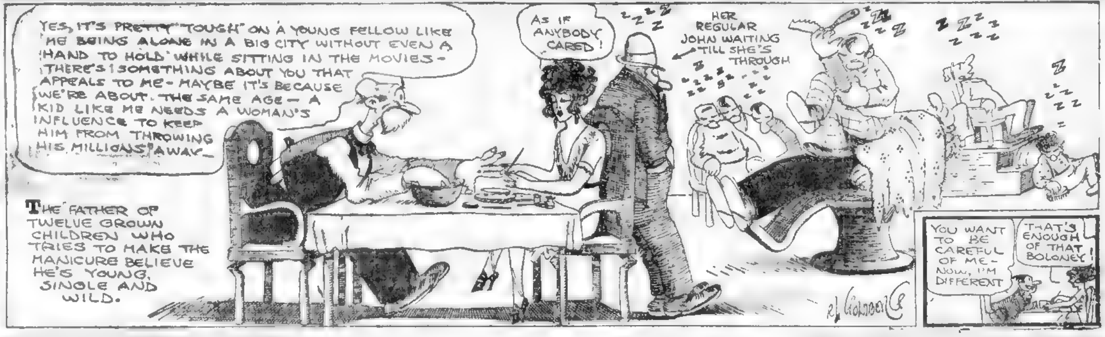
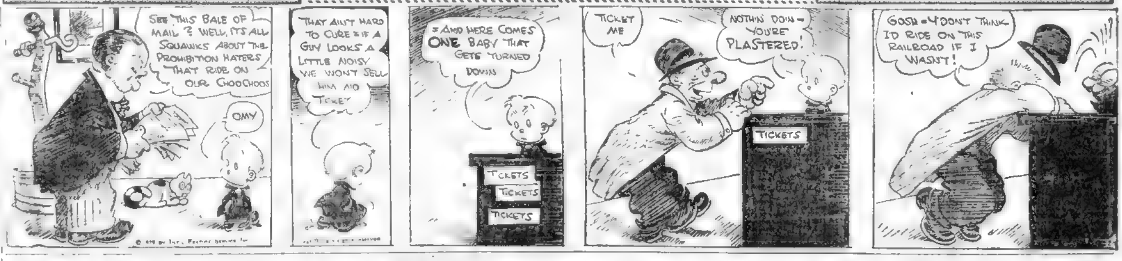
### By Rube Goldberg


YES, IT'S PRETTY "TOUGH" ON A YOUNG FELLOW LIKE ME BEING ALONE IN A BIG CITY WITHOUT EVEN A HAND TO HOLD WHILE SITTING IN THE MOVIES—THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT YOU THAT APPEALS TO ME—MAYBE IT'S BECAUSE WE'RE ABOUT THE SAME AGE—A KID LIKE ME NEEDS A WOMAN'S INFLUENCE TO KEEP HIM FROM THROWING HIS MILLIONS AWAY—
AS IF ANYBODY CARED!
HER REGULAR JOHN WAITING TILL SHE'S THROUGH
THE FATHER OF TWELVE GROWN CHILDREN WHO TRIES TO MAKE THE MANICURE BELIEVE HE'S YOUNG, SINGLE AND WILD.
YOU WANT TO BE CAREFUL OF ME—NOW, I'M DIFFERENT
THAT'S ENOUGH OF THAT BOLONEY!
R L GOLDBERG

## JERRY ON THE JOB

### Every Man for Himself

### By Hoban


SEE THIS BALE OF MAIL? WELL, IT'S ALL SQUAWKS ABOUT THE PROHIBITION HATERS THAT RIDE ON OUR CHOOCHOOS
OMY
THAT AIN'T HARD TO CURE—IF A GUY LOOKS A LITTLE NOISY WE WON'T SELL HIM NO TICKET
—AND HERE COMES ONE BABY THAT GETS TURNED DOWN
TICKETS
TICKET ME
NOTHIN' DOIN—YOU'RE PLASTERED!
GOSH—I DON'T THINK I'D RIDE ON THIS RAILROAD IF I WASN'T!

# DAILY SHORT STORY

## CASTLES IN THE AIR

*By Maria Luttrell*

F[illegible] the [illegible] and decks are [illegible] young [illegible] lipstick's gold and the little powder box has a sapphire in the top. Quite spiffy, old thing!

"Now, I've got to run along and [illegible] away the prize of [illegible] brown [illegible] threes [illegible]

### Last Century Stuff

[illegible] the [illegible]

"Now, Dad, [illegible] going to keep [illegible] century stuff [illegible] the dance. [illegible] word [illegible] well [illegible] some fool [illegible] to buy [illegible] going to find [illegible] with me [illegible] boys to [illegible] for quite a while." [illegible] lap [illegible] her bobbed head [illegible] her head. "Oh! Daddikins, don't talk so awfully old when—"

[illegible] up and gazed at him intently [illegible] when you look [illegible] young [illegible] father not [illegible] play a game and win, he'll just be getting back what some chap took away from him last week. So you see it's fair, after all. Just turn [illegible] beautiful laughter follow[illegible]

"Sit down. I'm going to [illegible] you the truth about myself."

### Too Much Pity

"Now, Dad, [illegible] is [illegible] hundred and [illegible] you married Mummy. I won't be [illegible] when I'm twenty. I [illegible] do what Elizabeth M[illegible] month. I'll step up to [illegible] for [illegible]."

"Anyone you please, but I've too much respect and pity [illegible] to give you away to him. So want me out of the wedding procession and I believe fathers are usually ex[illegible] such parades." He [illegible] up the paper again.

Beth almost swallowed [illegible] at [illegible]. He had never [illegible] Anger [illegible] "I'm just what you and Mummy made me," she declared hotly.

"You are what two years at a fool finishing school made you [illegible] you thought I was taking you away from your crowd and putting an obstacle in the way of your social success. Like many another weak [illegible], your [illegible] wasted away my good judgment. You were a sweet little girl, unaffected, fine. And there was Tom Marshall here [illegible] boy [illegible] his own way."

"You want me to marry a clerk in a wholesale feed house?"

"You liked him!"

"Like!" Beth's chin trembled a little. "Of course I—I did. I was young, ignorant, following blind in[illegible]. Now I know that a girl has simply got to marry money, social position, family, unless she wants to be considered a matrimonial failure."

### Mother Helped.

"Piffle!" roared Fred Carter. "I was a clerk in a feed house when your mother married me. Now I own the whole damned works. Your mother helped me too until last year when you came home from school and poisoned her mind with this fool social game that never gets anyone anywhere in reality. Do you think that I'm proud because you move in society where girls ask boys to take a little box on the hip and gamble or steal to buy something for you? I had rather buried you and I mean just that."

Beth burst into tears.

"Cry on!" he said coldly. "Tears can never blur my judgment again. You talk about following [illegible] Tom Marshall. It's a good thing to follow when it comes to mating. You still like Tom. If you don't, why in the devil do you make excuses to come down to the feed house and hang around until he shows up?"

"You're a mean Daddy to say that to me."

"It's the truth and you know it. You have a natural, wholesome urge toward that boy who carried your books, taught you to skate, and kissed you under the mistletoe when you were 16. Money is a curse to an empty-headed girl like you. You would have been far better off if I were still a clerk.

### Hope Chest.

"There's a pretty little stenographer in one of our departments—she's getting up a hope chest. You used to talk about such things six or seven years ago. When she's not busy, she embroiders towels and makes table runners and doilies—I noticed it because your mother did the same thing. Once, [illegible] I got a five dollar raise on the month. Know how I spent the first extra? Bought a set of dishes—I can see them yet—had pink flowers on them and I asked to use one of the wagons after work time and hauled them up to your mother's.

"Your granny gave her a little corner cupboard to keep them in. We washed them and put them up, then stood off to admire them, thought of the way they would look in our own house some day—dreamed of the meals we would eat off their shining surfaces. We have silver and gold—what you call 'em place plates—now, but nothing will ever taste as good as beef loaf did on those pink and white dishes."

"Why, I never thought that you were sentimental, Dad. But you—you are." Tears again, [illegible] down the pink and white little face [illegible]

"[illegible] daughter, are the only gifts of [illegible]. Love [illegible] ing up [illegible] hand in hand never doubting, dreaming of pattering little feet, of trying to make the road rose petaled for them—ah, me, what a false set of standards we raise when we begin clipping coupons to spend for show and finery.

### Fur Neckpiece.

"I remember the first little fur neckpiece your mother ever had. It was brown fox. I can see it yet and how pretty she looked in [illegible]. Once in [illegible] I woke [illegible] to find her standing before a mirror, preening herself, her little white nightgown falling away from the ring of fur.

"She wears sables now and other furs. I am glad that she can have them, but I wish that you could go up with some boy as she went with me—step by step, sharing everything, holding always before our eyes the fine banner of honor. She wouldn't have asked me to gamble for a do-dad to hang on her arm."

"You should have been a preacher," said Beth, wiping her eyes. "This is sob sister stuff and I won't have a good time at the dance and it's all your fault."

"Well, run along now and have your fun. I'm looking for Tom Marshall to spend the evening here. I took him in as my partner today. I hope he'll marry some sweet, good girl—maybe that nice little thing saving [illegible] hope chest. [illegible] if I find my dream [illegible] to Tom comes true. I've talked with [illegible] urged him to marry. It'll be best for him if he gets the right kind of a girl—she'll be an asset—not a liability like a girl of your class."

Beth went out of the room slowly. When she reached the door Fred Carter called to her. "By the way, Tom [illegible] to tell you that he was a member of the firm now. He wanted you to be the first to know."

"Thank [illegible]," came in a subdued voice.

### Cut Out the Dance.

Big, radiant, happy Tom Marshall came in soon after that. Fred Carter and his wife were laughing and [illegible] when Beth appeared. She was wearing a plain [illegible] back satin frock with demure [illegible] collar and cuffs of snowy white. A band of black ribbon held her curly hair in place. She looked like a very little girl.

"Haven't you gone to the dance yet, daughter?" asked the wholesale feed man.

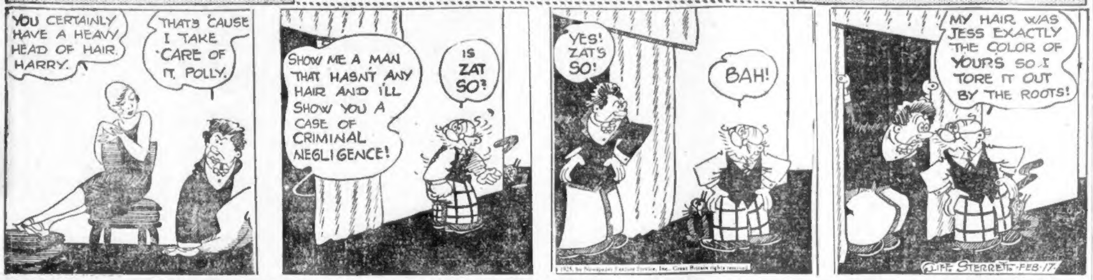
Beth was as demure as her costume when she answered "[illegible]—I'm not going anywhere tonight, Dad." Then she held out her hand to Tom Marshall, smiling up at him. "I want to congratulate you, Tom." Then, with an apparent effort, "When are you going to marry that girl in Dad's office, the one getting a hope chest together, Tom?"

A very happy looking man of forty-five took his wife unceremoniously by the arm and tiptoed quietly from the room.

## POLLY AND HER PALS

Paw Made a Clean Job of It

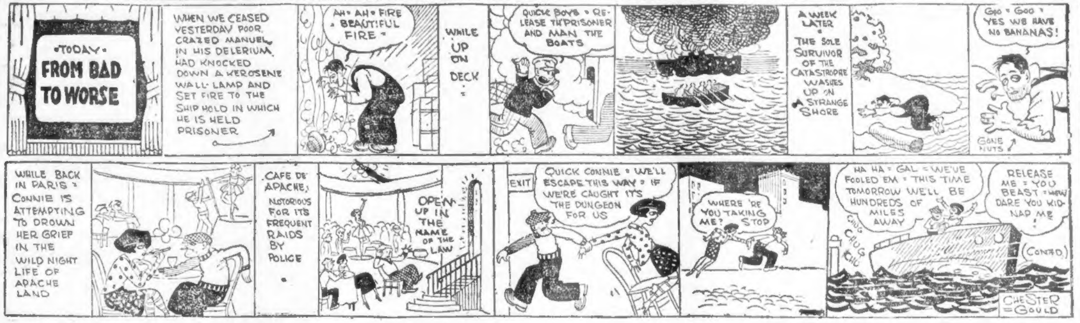
By Cliff Sterrett


YOU CERTAINLY HAVE A HEAVY HEAD OF HAIR, HARRY.
THAT'S 'CAUSE I TAKE CARE OF IT, POLLY.
SHOW ME A MAN THAT HASN'T ANY HAIR AND I'LL SHOW YOU A CASE OF CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE!
IS ZAT SO?
YES! ZAT'S SO!
BAH!
MY HAIR WAS JESS EXACTLY THE COLOR OF YOURS SO I TORE IT OUT BY THE ROOTS!
CLIFF STERRETT FEB 17

## FILLUM FABLES

Her Uncertain Destination

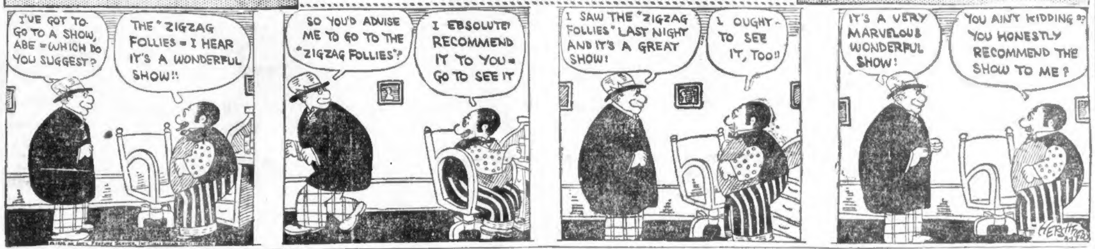
By Chester Gould


TODAY
FROM BAD TO WORSE
WHEN WE CEASED YESTERDAY POOR, CRAZED MANUEL, IN HIS DELERIUM, HAD KNOCKED DOWN A KEROSENE WALL LAMP AND SET FIRE TO THE SHIP HOLD IN WHICH HE IS HELD PRISONER
AH = AH = FIRE = BEAUTIFUL FIRE =
WHILE UP ON DECK
QUICK BOYS = RELEASE TH' PRISONER AND MAN THE BOATS
A WEEK LATER = THE SOLE SURVIVOR OF THE CATASTROPHE WASHES UP ON A STRANGE SHORE
GOO = GOO = YES WE HAVE NO BANANAS!
GONE NUTS
WHILE BACK IN PARIS = CONNIE IS ATTEMPTING TO DROWN HER GRIEF IN THE WILD NIGHT LIFE OF APACHE LAND
CAFE DE APACHE, NOTORIOUS FOR ITS FREQUENT RAIDS BY POLICE
OPEN UP IN THE NAME OF THE LAW
EXIT
QUICK CONNIE = WE'LL ESCAPE THIS WAY = IF WE'RE CAUGHT IT'S THE DUNGEON FOR US
WHERE 'RE YOU TAKING ME? STOP
HA HA = GAL = WE'VE FOOLED 'EM = THIS TIME TOMORROW WE'LL BE HUNDREDS OF MILES AWAY
CHUG CHUG CHUG
RELEASE ME = YOU BEAST = HOW DARE YOU KIDNAP ME
(CONT'D)
CHESTER GOULD

## ABIE THE AGENT

Wants Fair Play

By Hershfield


I'VE GOT TO GO TO A SHOW, ABE = WHICH DO YOU SUGGEST?
THE "ZIGZAG FOLLIES = I HEAR IT'S A WONDERFUL SHOW!!
SO YOU'D ADVISE ME TO GO TO THE "ZIGZAG FOLLIES"?
I EBSOLUTE! RECOMMEND IT TO YOU = GO TO SEE IT
I SAW THE "ZIGZAG FOLLIES" LAST NIGHT AND IT'S A GREAT SHOW!
I OUGHT TO SEE IT, TOO!!
IT'S A VERY MARVELOUS WONDERFUL SHOW!
YOU AIN'T KIDDING? YOU HONESTLY RECOMMEND THE SHOW TO ME?
HERSHFIELD

# MEDBURY SAYS—

By John P. Medbury

REALIZING that Winter will soon be over, thousands of vagrants are beginning to reserve their park benches for next Summer.

THEY'RE doing it early this season because last year several of them had to stand up.

AND it gets very tiresome for a man to loaf on his feet.

IT'S much easier to bum while you're sitting down.

ONE hobo wrote to the park commissioner and asked him to put screens around the benches so that the tramps could have some privacy.

NOT only that, but they want lights over the benches so that they can read in bed.

ANOTHER fellow asked the commissioner for three benches. He says he's going to bring his wife and children to the city.

HE didn't say whether or not they had a maid.

BUT the chances are the wife will do her own work.

SHE can do the cooking over one of the street lamps and wash the dishes in the fountain.

THE city ought to furnish these vagrants with more furniture, as it's hard for a family to live on one bench.

THE benches should also be numbered so that the occupants can have their groceries delivered.

AFTER Mrs. Hobo gets through doing her housework in the morning she's too tired to go to the store.

IT would be a good idea for the city to install a telephone at each bench so that she could call up her friends in case she wanted to invite them for dinner.

HER husband could read the "Help Wanted" column and then telephone to the advertisers.

THIS would save him the trouble of getting out of bed and applying for the job in person.

THERE'S no sense in getting up in the morning if all the jobs are taken.

PEOPLE who are figuring on occupying our parks in the next couple of months had better reserve their benches early unless they want to stand up all Summer.

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# NATURE AND THE CHILD

By Carolyn Lisberge
Lecturer and Writer on the Bringing Up of Children.

GREAT is the joy and knowledge that comes to a youngster permitted to take care of a window box planted with flowers and herbs. No parent is so poor as not to be able to provide one. I had three built in the windows of the second story of my home. From these what a love of flowers and leaves and sense of gardening and faith in the miracle of nature my young son has learned.

The primrose in the window box has taught him certain fundamentals he will find in the same flower when he comes across it at a river's brim.

But it is essential the child be made responsible for the care of this box. When my own boy found himself permitted to care for the flowers alone his interest was intense. He brought me a weed with extra long root. This started a discussion in which he learned the facts of botany without knowing he was getting a lesson in science.

I fortified my own lack of information by use of the dictionary and encyclopedia. Thus there has been created within this boy, despite the disadvantage of his city life, a love and understanding of growing things, without which any education is incomplete.

Too few parents bother to see that their children learn the facts of nature. Too many playyards in schools are paved space minus grass or green growth. Nor is the country boy made to see the marvels of growth about him. Many a one I have questioned to find he knew neither name nor habit nor use of the commonest weed.

If you want to keep your "kiddies" well occupied have Johnny build a window box and let Mary help him care for whatever you plant in it.

### Good Reason, Too.

Prisoner—"Yes, your honor, I killed him."

Jnudge—"Why did you kill him?"

Prisoner—"Because he called me an efficiency expert."

# BEDTIME STORY

Broadcast Daily Through WNAC

## WHY HIS ROSE-BUSHES BLOOMED

By Foxy Grandpa.

"I AM simply discouraged," said I one day, walking in my rose-garden, where I saw that as each rose opened and commenced to bloom it quickly withered and never came into its full beauty.

"What's doing this?" asked Bobby, who was walking by my side.

"Oh," said I, "hundreds of little blight insects which feed on them and as a result the blooms are not perfect."

"Too bad," said Bobby.

"Of course," I said, "I can't blame the little insects. That is their only way of living—they've got to eat. But unfortunately they fancy rose-bushes."

"Yes," mused Bunny, "everything in the world lives on something else."

"That's so," I agreed.

"Yes," said Bunny. "It makes me sad to think how popular rabbit stew is." And he gave a great sigh and stroked his whiskers thoughtfully.

"I must do something about these little destructive bugs next year," I declared.

"I think I can take that worry off your mind next year, Foxy Grandpa," ventured Bunny looking at me very intently with his eyes, which toned in perfectly with the pale red of the roses.

"Is that so?" I asked enthusiastically.

"Yes, sir," he responded. "I'll take the matter up in the early Spring."

Spring came, and with it the tender young shoots of the roses pushed their little green noses out of the brown stalk of the bushes which I so hoped would bear me beautiful roses.

And with the Spring came a new pair of tenants in our yard. They built their round nest, to the left, on the brick wall at the foot of the garden, and covered it so carefully with twigs and dead leaves that it was almost impossible to see that a nest was built there at all. And how beautifully did Mr. and Mrs. Wren—for they were the tiny tenants—line their nest with soft moss and feathers.

"Seems like a pretty big nest for such a little pair," I said one day.

"Oh, yes," answered Bunny, "but they believe in preparedness. They raise large families—those very same birds. They usually have eight or ten children."

"That's different," said I.

"By the way, Foxy Grandpa," said Bobby. "Have you noticed that our roses are blooming perfectly?"

"I am delighted to say that I do," I answered. "And this year they seem to do it without any help."

"They've had help, all right," said Bunny. "I took care of that long ago."

"Is that so?" I inquired. "And who is the gardener, may I ask?"

"They are not very far away," said Bunny mysteriously.

"Come on, now Bunny. Who is so kindly protecting my roses from those destructive little fellows who ruined them last year?"

"Mr. and Mrs. Wren," said Bunny. "Rose bugs are one of their favorite dishes. That's why I asked them to locate here for the Summer. You see the result."

"For that," said I, "you will have a whole bunch of the reddest radishes I can find in the garden for you, Bunny."

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### A Long Period of Mourning.

Office Boy—I would like a few days off, sir, if you please—my grandfather is dead.

Employer—I'm sorry, my boy—when did he pass away?

Office Boy—Two years ago, sir.

# TELL THIS AT DINNER

HE stood in the editor's den and the awe of being in that holy of holies was plain to read in his face. Although he had been there before, he could never get over that Lilliputian feeling which never failed to assail him at moments like the present.

The editor had criticised one of his rejected masterpieces, and, turning to the awed one, he said in a patronizing tone:

"You know, Thompson, you waste far too much paper."

"But how can I economize?"

"Well, why not write on both sides of the paper?"

"But you won't accept stories written on both sides of the paper."

"I know. Still, you'd be saving paper, all the same."

## DRY TOASTS

A pledge to growing pains. We don't care how much our bank account suffers from them.

A drat on the fellow who has his initials carved on his umbrella we borrowed.

A toast to our new son-in-law. We just married our daughter off to our janitor.

Here's to the man who can tell the difference between) a Chinese college and a Russian broadcasting station.

A pledge to vacations. May they grow as long as a bootlegger's visiting list.

A toast to the course of true love. Here's to a golf course.

Here's to the old-fashioned girl—the one who can remember how the North Wind and the Red Dragon in Ma Jong look.

A pledge to the laziest man in the country—the fellow who does his daily dozen sitting down in a chair.

A bumper to our debtors. We wish they'd take a memory course.

# NICK NACKS

by NICK FLATLEY

## TOO SILLY FOR WORDS · By Charlie

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The congressman who made fun of the President's horse evidently believes in synthetic poetry.

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A pair of rats, according to science, will be responsible for 350,000,000 more of the same in three years. The first real competitor for the Ford in the production field.

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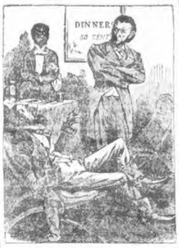
Man With Mind Gone Sent to Worcester—Headline.

Work for the Chamber of Commerce here.

FABLE
There was a chap who thought his sister was the prettiest and most charming girl he had ever seen.

### WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS PICTURE?



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**London church has cosmetics for brides just before the ceremony. Would be more appropriate afterward—the makeup stuff.**

### 25 YEARS FROM NOW

All public eating places were closed permanently today by order of the City Council. It was also voted to abolish sacred concerts hereafter.

The license of the L was revoked by the State Legislature when it was proved that in a traffic rush, a car with seats was used.

All silk and cotton mills throughout the country shut down Monday in accordance with the 31sth amendment which reads that nothing hereafter shall be used for clothing but uncolored burlap.

The Internal Revenue Department announced today that immigrants from France, where moving pictures are still permitted, will no longer be allowed to enter this country.

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**Berwick, Me., man has glass removed from hand after twenty-five years, chirps news dispatch. What a drinker he must have been.**

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*He gets his weekly envelope,*
*And thinks of clothes, and shows:*
*That's all he does—just thinks of 'em,*
*As meekly home he goes.*

* * *

DOWN WITH CRIME

It has been suggested that the police be mounted and armed with rifles in order to subdue the insurrection of the criminal classes. "Hundreds are killed by rifle fire in the woods each year by mistake," explains Dr. Sputter, father of the idea, "and who knows but what the cops might get a crook or two by accident the same way. There are plenty of dears in the Back Bay, and shooting at them would at least discourage the prowlers. The police could disguise themselves as Washington ball players. Then they could catch anything. They could also take snap shots, which would later prove invaluable for the Rogues' Gallery, and other purposes of identification."

The doctor says he will next turn his attention to making the rubbish garages invisible.

LAZY LUKE SAYS
Anyhow, the birds who are in the South just now can't look forward to a trip next year as a novelty and something to dream about for months.

*World League meeting in Canada would please many nations, we read. It certainly would tickle the U. S. delegates.*

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Wood Family Out of Woolens—Post Headline.

Well, Winter is almost over.

### GREAT EDUCATORS

Following is our own list of the ten greatest American educators. Compare this with Dr. Eliot's and roll your own conclusions:

JOE BECKETT
FRANK MERRIWELL
PEGGY JOYCE
PONZI
LONE WOLF.
STEVE BRODIE
DOCTOR COOK
COSY DOLAN
P. T. BARNUM
NICK CARTER

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*Next.*

## HOME HINTS

Stains on clothes, stockings and so on can be removed by rubbing them with cut lemon or lemon dipped in salt, and immediately rinsing them. Stains on the hands also disappear if rubbed with lemon.

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When ironing handkerchiefs it is well to remember that the middle should be ironed first; to iron the edges first causes the middle to swell out, and makes it difficult to iron satisfactorily.

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Protect yourself from the Grip and Colds. Take Dr. Humphreys' "77". Keep it handy. Breaks up Colds and Grip. Saves illness and expense. "77" has been used everywhere for 30 years. A wonderful remedy. At all Druggists.
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# WALSH SCORES BIG TARIFF ON WOOL

By FRANK H. MELOON
Financial Editor

In this column recently we printed the Carded Woolen Manufacturers Association's interesting statement regarding the Fordney-McCumber duty collected on wool at Boston and Philadelphia, chief American ports of entry for wool.

The information contained in the document was prepared from reports made by the Boston Branch of the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Department of Agriculture.

Commenting on this statement, U. S. Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts says:

Senator Walsh

"From these figures, the weights and the value of the wool imported, the Carded Manufacturers' Association have deduced certain conclusions, and among other facts and information given, they show what the specific duty of 31 cents per pound upon wool represents and translates into ad valorem duty.

"The figures are astounding. The figures collected show that the estimated clean weight of wool that came into this country from the passage of the Fordney-McCumber tariff law to January 3, of this year, was 75,202,356 pounds. The statistics cover only clothing wool and not carpet wool, carpet wool being admitted free.

"So we are dealing with the amount in pounds of wool that has come into this country during this period of time, the value of that wool, the duty that the American people have had to pay, and what that duty represents, based upon an estimate of ad valorem duty.

**EXTREME VARIATIONS.**

"The average price per estimated clean pound of wool, taking all the wool that has come in, has been 70 cents. The extreme variations of price per estimated clean pound have extended from 16 cents to $1.70 a pound. The total value of the wool that has come in in this period is $53,207,261. The duty collected by the United States government at 31 cents per estimated clean pound is $23,312,730. Just note those figures.

"The value of wool is $53,000,000 and the duty collected, which has been added of course to that value, is nearly one-half of that amount, to wit, $23,000,000.

"The ad valorem equivalent of this 31-cent duty is 43.8 per cent. The average ad valorem duty upon all this wool represents 43.8 per cent. of the value of the wool. But the most interesting figure of all is the extreme variation of ad valorem on this wool, and these extreme variations extend from 18 per cent. to 191 per cent.

"I want to call attention to the fact that the present specific duty of 31 cents per pound is compelling the poor people of America who must buy the poor wool to use in their clothing, to use in their sweaters, to use in their overcoats, to use in their blankets, to use as underwear, to pay the enormous tax of 191 per cent. as a maximum while those who can afford to buy the higher priced wool, the best wool, the finest quality of wool, are taxed only about 18 per cent.

**190 P. C. TAX.**

"How can we justify the imposition upon our people of a tax burden that penalizes poverty, and those of limited financial resources, that places the burdens upon those who toil and labor and who must buy the cheapest of clothing, and the cheapest of underwear?

"These figures show what a damnable fraud it is upon the American people to have a specific duty upon wool, and that the reason why this specific duty is named is to deceive and mislead; for, if the ad valorem duty had been placed in this bill nobody would ever dare put a rate of 190 per cent. upon the wool of the poor, and yet that is what these figures show is the maximum.

"How are we going to justify it?

"It cannot be justified, but we can explain it upon the basis upon which protective duties are usually levied, in favor of privileged classes; a tax levied upon millions to enrich a few; a violation of the principle of equality and of democracy, favoritism, discrimination, privilege and deception. That is the explanation."

## Air Reduction

Air Reduction Company reports for 1924 net profits after Federal taxes of $1,635,221, equal to $8.56 a share on the 191,014 shares of stock outstanding at the end of the year. This compares with $12.31 a share earned in 1923 on 173,586 shares.

## State Street Notes

**BROOKLINE** has awarded to the First National Bank of Boston at 2.97 per cent. discount, plus $3 premium, $240,000 notes, payable October 23.

**NEW ENGLAND** Telephone lost $388,000 after dividends in January against loss of $144,000 in same month a year ago.

**CHICOPEE** has awarded to Chicopee National Bank of Springfield, at 3.048 p. c. discount, $200,000 loan, payable November 23.

**CHICOPEE** awarded to Merrill, Oldham & Co., at 100.63, $31,000 playground 4 per cent bonds, dated February 1, and payable 1924 to 1935 inclusive.

# STOCKS STEADY AND ABOVE OPENING

Afternoon prices on the New York Stock Exchange were steady and above the opening.

The market displayed considerable nervousness at the start, but fluctuations in opening prices were narrow and industrial leaders showed a tendency to rally on the initial sales and to make further improvement as the session advanced.

Baldwin's annual statement showed a deficit of $479,974 after dividends on the common stock, but most of the selling had been completed before the report was issued to the public. The situation in the stock was strengthened by the announcement that provision had been made from surplus for the full 1925 dividends. Consequently the stock displayed more stability and sold a point higher in the first period.

Commission houses reported a comparatively small number of impaired margin accounts as a result of Monday's heavy decline in prices. Consequently there was not a large volume of forced selling to be absorbed in the early trading.

Strength of the industrial leaders including American Can, United States Steel and Cast Iron Pipe, and of New York Central, Atchison and other leading railroad stocks had a stimulating effect on the market in this period. American Locomotive sold up 2 points at 113½. United States Steel crossed 123.

As a group the oil stocks continued under liquidation and prices of many of the active stocks, both in curb and in the listed market showed slight declines from the previous close. Independent oils have moved forward more than any other group in the last few weeks and was therefore subject to profit taking.

Developments in the oil industry included a decline in crude oil production in Wortham Pool to 53,000 barrels a day, reports of further advances in crude oil prices by the Prairie Oil and Gas Company and rumors of the discovery of another promising oil field in Texas.

As a rule the independent steel shares followed the lead of United States Steel, though gains were small. Motor stocks were irregular with the exception of Mack Trucks which gained 2 points on short covering. General Motors was in supply and sold down to 74¼, the lowest price since the dividend was raised to 6 per cent. Chandler was strong.

## Prices Work Lower in Boston Stock Trading

Prices were practically all lower, though losses were mostly held to fractions, in today's trading on the Boston Stock Exchange.

Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway common and Eastern Steamship sold a point lower, the former at 36½ and the Steamship of 48.

Old Dominion was up a fraction at 23⅝.

Boston stocks generally reflected the heavy tone that showed over much of the list in Wall Street.

Before the first half hour of trading had ended, there were losses of half a point registered for Bingham Mines, Pacific Mills and Amoskeag.

New England Telephone was off ⅛ at 103¼. Directors of the local telephone utility meet in New York for dividend action tomorrow. The usual $2 quarterly dividend on the stock is expected.

## SOMERVILLE LOAN IS AWARDED IN BOSTON

Somerville awarded $300,000 loan, dated Feb. 18 and due Nov. 4, 1925, to the First National Bank of Boston at 3.04 per cent. discount, plus $4 premium. Other bidders were: Atlantic National Bank 3.05 per cent., Old Colony Trust Company, 3.09 per cent., plus $5; S. N. Bond & Co., 3.10 per cent., plus $1.25; Salomon Bros. & Hutzler, 3.14 per cent., plus $2.50; Grafton & Co., 3.14 per cent.

## Stock Is Called

Outstanding 19,701 shares of preferred stock of the Postum Cereal Co. have been called for redemption on May 1, 1925, at $117 a share, including the quarterly dividend of $2.

## Mill Dividends

G. M. Haffards & Co. announce Bay State mill dividends for first quarter of 1925, as follows.

| | Capital | Rate | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amer Linen Co. | $800,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Ancona Co pfd. | 100,000 | 1½ | $1,500 |
| Arkwright Mills | 1,000,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Barnard Mfg Co | 1,250,000 | 1 | 12,500 |
| Bourne Mills | 1,000,000 | 2 | 20,000 |
| Border City Mfg Co | 1,800,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Chace Mills | 1,200,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Charlton Mills | 1,200,000 | 2 | 24,000 |
| Conanicut Mills | a800,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Cornell Mills | 600,000 | 1½ | 9,000 |
| Davis Mills | 2,500,000 | 1½ | 37,500 |
| Davol Mills | 1,500,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Flint Mills | 1,740,000 | 2 | 34,800 |
| Granite Mills | 1,250,000 | 0 | ...... |
| King Philip Mills. | 2,250,000 | 1½ | 33,750 |
| Lincoln Mfg Co. | 2,250,000 | 1½ | 33,750 |
| Luther Mfg Co. | 525,000 | 2 | 10,500 |
| Laurel La Mills pf | 300,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Laurel La Mills, co | 600,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Merchants Mfg Co | 1,500,000 | 1 | 15,000 |
| Mechanics Mills | 750,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Narragansett Mills | 600,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Osborn Mills | 750,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Parker Mills pfd. | 1,250,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Parker Mills, com | 1,500,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Pilgrim Mills com | 1,200,000 | 2 | 24,000 |
| Pocasset Mfg Co. | 1,200,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Richard Bor M C | 1,000,000 | 1½ | 15,000 |
| Sagamore Mfg Co. | 3,000,000 | 3 | 90,000 |
| Seaconnet Mills | 1,200,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Shawmut Mfg C pf | 250,000 | 1¾ | 4,375 |
| Shawmut M C co | 350,000 | 1½ | 5,250 |
| Shove Mills | 1,200,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Stafford Mills | 1,000,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Stevens Mfg Co. | 1,200,000 | 1½ | 18,000 |
| Tecumseh Mills | 750,000 | 30b | 225,000 |
| Troy C & W Mfg | 300,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Union Cot Mfg Co | 1,800,000 | 1½ | 27,000 |
| Wampanoag Mills | 1,000,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Weetamoe Mills | 500,000 | 0 | ...... |
| Totals | $44,465,000 | | $640,025 |

An average of 1.44+% on above capital. aAmount authorised. Outstanding $251,700. [illegible] of assets.

(Other financial news will be found on Page 19.)

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Boston, Feb. 9, 1925

**Proposals for Bonds**

Sealed proposals for MASSACHUSETTS SERIAL bonds amounting to $2,923,000 will be received at the office of the Treasurer and Receiver-General up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, February 20, 1925, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The bonds will be registered and are EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL AND MASSACHUSETTS INCOME TAXES. They are duly authorized by Acts of the Massachusetts Legislature for account of the following loans.

**$1,000,000 4% Jan. 1926-1945 Metropolitan Parks Loan, Series Two**
**135,000 4% Jan. 1926-1945 Metropolitan Parks Loan, Series Two**
**650,000 4% Sept. 1925-1934 Met. Sewerage Loan, North System**
**1,138,000 4% Jan. 1926-1963 Metropolitan Water Loan**
**$2,923,000**

*A descriptive circular will be furnished upon request.*

The Treasurer reserves the right to reject any or all bids which are not in his opinion advantageous to the interests of the Commonwealth.

WILLIAM S. YOUNGMAN,
Treasurer and Receiver-General.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

| | Open | High | Low | 2 p.m. Closing |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Air Reduction | 92⅛ | 92⅛ | 92⅛ | 92⅛ |
| Ajax Rubber | 11¾ | 11¾ | 11¾ | 11¾ |
| All Ch & Dye | 83⅞ | 84 | 83⅞ | 84 |
| Allis Chal Mfg | 72¾ | 72¾ | 72¾ | 72¾ |
| Am Ag Chem | 18⅝ | 18⅝ | 18⅝ | 18⅝ |
| Am Bosch M | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 |
| Am Can | 168½ | 169½ | 168½ | 169⅜ |
| Am C & Fdy | 198 | 198 | 198 | 198 |
| Am Chain Co | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 |
| Am F P | 29¼ | 29¼ | 29¼ | 29¼ |
| Am F P pf | 90⅞ | 91 | 90⅞ | 91 |
| Am LaFrance | 12⅛ | 12⅛ | 12 | 12 |
| Am Linseed pf | 61⅛ | 61⅛ | 61⅛ | 61⅛ |
| Am Safety R | 38 | 38 | 38 | 38 |
| Am Smelting | 99½ | 99½ | 99 | 99½ |
| Am Steel Fdy | 47½ | 47¾ | 47½ | 47½ |
| Am Sugar | 61¼ | 61½ | 61¼ | 61½ |
| Am Sugar pf | 99¼ | 99¼ | 99¼ | 99¼ |
| Am Sumatra | 17⅛ | 17⅜ | 17⅛ | 17⅜ |
| Am Tel & Tel | 133⅛ | 133⅛ | 133⅛ | 133⅛ |
| Am Tobacco | 85½ | 85½ | 85 | 85 |
| Am Water W | 34⅞ | 35 | 34⅞ | 35 |
| Am Woolen | 50¾ | 50¾ | 50¼ | 50¼ |
| Am Wool pf | 88⅝ | 88⅝ | 88⅝ | 88⅝ |
| Anaconda | 42½ | 42¾ | 42½ | 42½ |
| Associated Oil | 35¾ | 35¾ | 35¾ | 35¾ |
| Atch T & S F | 118 | 118⅝ | 118 | 118⅝ |
| Atl Birm & At | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| Atlantic Cst L | 149⅛ | 149⅛ | 149⅛ | 149⅛ |
| Baldwin Loco | 127¼ | 128 | 126½ | 127¾ |
| Balt & Ohio | 76½ | 76½ | 76 | 76 |
| Barnsdall Cl A | 25 | 25½ | 25 | 25½ |
| Barnsdall Cl B | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| Bayuk Bros | 49¾ | 49½ | 49 | 49 |
| Beth Steel | 46 | 46½ | 46 | 46½ |
| Bklyn Edison | 126¼ | 126¼ | 126¼ | 126¼ |
| Bklyn Man Ry | 40¾ | 41⅛ | 40¾ | 41⅛ |
| Briggs Mfg | 36½ | 36½ | 36½ | 36½ |
| Burns Bros B | 20¾ | 20¾ | 20¾ | 20¾ |
| Butte & Sup | 19⅛ | 19⅛ | 19⅛ | 19⅛ |
| Burr Add | 77 | 77 | 77 | 77 |
| Calif Pete | 26 | 26¼ | 26 | 26¼ |
| Cal Zinc Lead | 3⅝ | 3⅝ | 3⅝ | 3⅝ |
| Cent Leather | 19 | 19 | 18¾ | 18¾ |
| Cent Leath pf | 59¼ | 59⅝ | 59¼ | 59⅝ |
| Cerro de Pas | 52¼ | 52¼ | 52 | 52 |
| Chandler Mot | 30⅛ | 30¼ | 30⅛ | 30¼ |
| Ches & Ohio | 92¾ | 92¾ | 92¾ | 92¾ |
| Chi M & St P | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| Chi M & SP pf | 20⅝ | 20⅝ | 20⅝ | 20⅝ |
| Chi & Alton pf | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Chi & East Ill | 32¾ | 32¾ | 32¾ | 32¾ |
| Chi Gt W pf | 27¼ | 27¾ | 27¼ | 27¾ |
| Chi R I | 44¼ | 44⅝ | 44¼ | 44⅝ |
| Chile Copper | 35⅛ | 35⅜ | 35⅛ | 35⅛ |
| Colo Fuel & I | 42½ | 43 | 42½ | 42½ |
| Col Gas & E | 46⅛ | 46⅛ | 46⅛ | 46⅛ |
| Com Solv A | 164½ | 164½ | 164½ | 164½ |
| Com Solv B | 158¼ | 158¼ | 158¼ | 158¼ |
| Congoleum | 39 | 39⅛ | 39 | 39⅛ |
| Consol Cigar | 29⅝ | 29⅝ | 29⅝ | 29⅝ |
| Consol Gas | 74¾ | 75 | 74¾ | 75 |
| Con Dis | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| Con TextilesN | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ |
| Contl Can | 62¾ | 63 | 62¾ | 63 |
| Contl Motors | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| Corn Products | 38¼ | 38¼ | 38¼ | 38¼ |
| Cosden Co | 30⅛ | 30⅞ | 30⅛ | 30⅞ |
| Cuba Cane | 12⅞ | 12⅞ | 12⅞ | 12⅞ |
| Cuba Cane pf | 58¼ | 58¼ | 58¼ | 58¼ |
| Cuban-Amer | 30¾ | 30¾ | 30¾ | 30¾ |
| Cuyamel Fruit | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅝ |
| D Boone Mills | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ |
| Davison Chem | 43¾ | 43¾ | 43¾ | 43¾ |
| Del & Hudson | 139¼ | 139¼ | 139¼ | 139¼ |
| Det Edison | 114⅝ | 114⅝ | 114⅝ | 114⅝ |
| Douglas-P | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ |
| Dupont d N | 145½ | 146¼ | 145½ | 146¼ |
| Eastman Kod | 113½ | 113½ | 113 | 113 |
| Elec S Battery | 63⅛ | 63¼ | 63⅛ | 63¼ |
| Erie 1st pf | 40 | 40 | 39¾ | 39¾ |
| Fairbanks M | 33¾ | 33¾ | 33¾ | 33¾ |
| Famous Plyrs | 90¾ | 91 | 90¾ | 91 |
| Fisk Rubber | 11⅞ | 11⅞ | 11⅞ | 11⅞ |
| Fleischmann | 81 | 81 | 80½ | 80½ |
| Foundation | 103 | 103½ | 103 | 103½ |
| Freeport | 9¾ | 9¾ | 9¾ | 9¾ |
| Gardner | 10⅝ | 10⅝ | 10⅝ | 10⅝ |
| Gen Asphalt | 54 | 54 | 54 | 54 |
| Gen Electric | 230¼ | 232 | 230¼ | 232 |
| Gen Motors | 74¾ | 75 | 74¼ | 74¾ |
| Gen Petroleum | 51⅝ | 51⅞ | 51⅛ | 51⅞ |
| Gimbel Bros | 50⅛ | 50⅛ | 50⅛ | 50⅛ |
| Glidden | 15¾ | 15¾ | 15¾ | 15¾ |
| Goodrich Tire | 42 | 42½ | 42 | 42½ |
| Granby | 18⅝ | 19 | 18⅝ | 18½ |
| Gt Northn pf | 66⅛ | 66⅛ | 66⅛ | 66⅛ |
| Gt Nor Ore | 36¾ | 36⅞ | 36¾ | 36⅞ |
| Gt Westn Sug | 92⅞ | 93 | 92⅞ | 93 |
| Gulf States Stl | 86 | 86 | 86 | 86 |
| Hayes Wheel | 35 | 35⅝ | 35 | 35¾ |
| Houston Oil | 77½ | 77½ | 77½ | 77½ |
| Hudson Motor | 38¼ | 38½ | 38¼ | 38½ |
| Hupp Motor | 15½ | 15½ | 15½ | 15½ |
| Independ Oil | 24¼ | 25¼ | 24¼ | 25 |
| Inspiration Cp | 27⅝ | 27⅝ | 27½ | 27½ |
| Intl Cement | 55 | 55 | 55 | 55 |
| Intl Com Eng | 34⅛ | 34⅛ | 34⅛ | 34⅛ |
| Intl Mer Mar | 11⅝ | 11⅝ | 11⅝ | 11⅝ |
| Intl Mer M pf | 44⅞ | 45 | 44⅞ | 45 |
| Intl Nickel | 26 | 26¼ | 26 | 26¼ |
| Intl Paper | 54⅛ | 54⅛ | 54⅛ | 54⅛ |
| Inland Stl | 45⅞ | 46⅝ | 45⅞ | 45⅞ |
| Intl Tel & Tel | 94 | 94 | 94 | 94 |
| Kan City & So | 34¼ | 34¼ | 34⅛ | 34⅛ |
| Kelly Springd | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Kennecott Cp | 51⅞ | 52¾ | 51⅞ | 52¾ |
| Keystone Tire | 2⅜ | 2⅜ | 2⅜ | 2⅜ |
| Lehigh Valley | 75¼ | 75¼ | 75¼ | 75¼ |
| Liggett Ser B | 58⅛ | 58⅛ | 58⅛ | 58⅛ |
| Loews Inc | 22½ | 22½ | 22½ | 22½ |
| Lorillard & Co | 34¾ | 34¾ | 34¾ | 34 |
| Mack Trucks | 135⅝ | 137¾ | 135¾ | 136⅞ |
| Mag Copper | 39⅜ | 39⅜ | 39⅜ | 39⅜ |
| Mall H R | 28½ | 28½ | 28⅛ | 28¼ |
| Manhat Shirt | 25¼ | 25¼ | 25¼ | 25¼ |
| Man El Ry MG | 49¼ | 49¼ | 49 | 49 |
| Maracaibo Oil | 27¾ | 27½ | 27¼ | 27½ |
| Marland Oil | 41½ | 42 | 41½ | 41¾ |
| Louisiana Oil | 19 | 19½ | 18⅞ | 19⅛ |
| Mathieson | 66 | 66 | 66 | 66 |
| Maxwell Cl A | 79 | 79½ | 79 | 79½ |
| Maxwell Cl B | 39¼ | 40 | 39¼ | 40 |
| May Dept Str | 103⅛ | 103⅛ | 103⅛ | 103⅛ |
| Mex Seabd Oil | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Miami Copper | 21⅝ | 21⅝ | 21⅝ | 21⅝ |
| Mo Kan & Tex | 36½ | 37 | 36½ | 37 |
| Mo Kan&T pf | 81⅞ | 82⅞ | 81⅝ | 82⅞ |
| Mo Pacific | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 |
| Mo Pacific pf | 76⅝ | 76⅝ | 76⅝ | 76⅝ |
| Mont Ward | 48 | 48½ | 47⅞ | 47⅞ |
| Nat Biscuit | 66⅛ | 66⅛ | 66⅛ | 66⅛ |
| Nat Dairy Pr | 45¼ | 45¼ | 45¼ | 45¼ |
| Nat Lead | 157 | 157 | 157 | 157 |
| Nat Supply | 65¾ | 65¾ | 65½ | 65½ |
| Nev Cons Cop | 14⅝ | 14⅝ | 14⅝ | 14⅝ |
| N Or T & M | 114¾ | 114¾ | 114¾ | 114¾ |
| NY Central | 119⅝ | 120¼ | 119⅝ | 120¼ |
| NYC & StL | 127½ | 127½ | 127½ | 127½ |
| NY N H& H | 31 | 31 | 30¾ | 30¾ |
| NY Ont & W | 22¼ | 22½ | 22¼ | 22½ |
| Norfolk South | 22⅞ | 22⅞ | 22⅞ | 22⅞ |
| Nor Am | 45⅛ | 45¾ | 45⅛ | 45¾ |
| Nor Am pf | 47¾ | 47¾ | 47¾ | 47¾ |
| Nor Pac | 67⅝ | 67⅞ | 67⅝ | 67⅞ |
| Owens Bottle | 45 | 45 | 44¾ | 44¾ |
| Pan Oil | 60 | 60¾ | 59¾ | 60¾ |
| Packard Mot | 16 | 16⅛ | 16 | 16⅛ |
| Pan-Am Pet | 69¾ | 69¾ | 69½ | 69½ |
| Pan-Am Pet B | 70 | 70⅛ | 69¾ | 70⅜ |
| Park & Tilford | 30⅞ | 30⅞ | 30⅝ | 30⅝ |
| Penn R R | 47¼ | 47¼ | 47⅛ | 47⅛ |
| Penn Sbd Stl | 2½ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| Phila & R Co | 47 | 47 | 46⅞ | 46⅞ |
| Phillips Petrol | 40⅞ | 41¼ | 40⅞ | 41¼ |
| Philip Morris | 13½ | 13½ | 13½ | 13½ |
| Pierce Arrow | 12⅛ | 12⅛ | 12⅛ | 12⅛ |
| Pitt Coal | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅝ |
| Prod & Ref | 28 | 28 | 28 | 28 |
| Pub Serv N J | 68⅞ | 68⅞ | 68⅞ | 68⅞ |
| Punta Alegra | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| Radio Corp | 58¼ | 59¼ | 58¼ | 59¼ |
| Replogle Steel | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Rep Iron & St | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅝ |
| Reynolds TobB | 75 | 75 | 75 | 75 |
| Royal Dutch | 54⅝ | 54⅞ | 54½ | 54⅝ |
| St L S'westn | 48 | 48 | 48 | 48 |
| Seabd Air L pf | 39 | 39 | 39 | 39 |
| Sears Roebk | 155¼ | 155¼ | 155¼ | 155¼ |
| Shell Union O | 25 | 25⅜ | 24⅞ | 25⅜ |
| Sinclair Oil | 21¼ | 21¼ | 21 | 21 |
| Simmons Co | 35 | 35 | 35 | 35 |
| Simms Petrol | 21 | 21¼ | 21 | 21¼ |
| Skelly Oil | 27⅜ | 27⅜ | 27¼ | 27⅜ |
| Sloss Sh S & I | 88 | 88 | 88 | 88 |
| Southern Pac | 103 | 103 | 102⅞ | 102⅞ |
| Symingtn Co A | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| Southern Ry | 85⅝ | 85⅝ | 85⅝ | 85¾ |
| Southn Ry pf | 85¼ | 85¼ | 85¼ | 85¼ |
| Std Gas & El | 40⅝ | 41¼ | 40⅝ | 41¼ |
| Std Oil Calif | 62¼ | 62¼ | 62¼ | 62¾ |
| Std Oil N J | 43⅝ | 43⅝ | 42⅝ | 42⅝ |
| Std Oil N J pf | 118⅛ | 118⅛ | 118⅛ | 118⅛ |
| Stewart-W Sp | 67½ | 68 | 67½ | 68 |
| Studebaker | 42¾ | 43 | 42¾ | 43 |
| Texas Co | 46⅝ | 46⅞ | 46⅝ | 46⅞ |
| Tex Gulf Sul | 97¾ | 97¾ | 97¾ | 97¾ |
| Tex & P C&Oil | 17¾ | 18⅛ | 17¾ | 17¾ |
| Tex & Pac RR | 53⅜ | 53⅝ | 53 | 53 |
| *Timken R B | 41⅝ | 41¾ | 41⅝ | 41¾ |
| Tobacco Prod | 72⅝ | 72⅝ | 72⅝ | 72⅝ |
| Tob Prod A | 95 | 95 | 95 | 95 |
| Trancontl Oil | 4⅜ | 4⅜ | 4⅜ | 4⅜ |
| Union Pac | 148⅞ | 148⅞ | 148¾ | 148¾ |
| Univ Pipe | 41⅛ | 42½ | 41⅛ | 41⅛ |
| U S C I Pipe | 212 | 212 | 211 | 211 |
| Union Oil Cal | 39⅞ | 40 | 39⅝ | 39⅝ |
| U S Distrib | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | 30⅛ |
| U S Rubber | 40 | 40⅛ | 40 | 40⅛ |
| U S Steel | 122⅝ | 123¼ | 122½ | 122⅞ |
| Utah Sec | 42 | 42½ | 42 | 42½ |
| Va Caro Chem | 2⅞ | 2⅞ | 2⅞ | 2⅞ |
| Wabash RR | 22¾ | 22⅞ | 22¾ | 22⅞ |
| Wabash pf A | 60¾ | 61¼ | 60¾ | 61⅛ |
| Waldorf Sys | 16⅝ | 16⅝ | 16⅝ | 16⅝ |
| Weber & Hbn | 54 | 54 | 54 | 54 |
| Western Md | 14½ | 14½ | 14½ | 14½ |
| Westing El | 70¼ | 70½ | 70⅛ | 70¼ |
| Wheel & L E | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ |
| Wh & LE 1 pf | 26⅞ | 26⅞ | 26⅞ | 26⅞ |
| Ward Bak B | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| White Eagle O | 28⅝ | 28⅝ | 28⅝ | 28⅝ |
| White Motor | 62 | 62¼ | 62 | 62¼ |
| Willys-Over | 9½ | 9⅝ | 9½ | 9⅝ |
| Woolworth | 114 | 114 | 114 | 114 |
| Worthington | 67 | 67½ | 66 | 67½ |
| Wrigley W J | 49 | 49 | 48½ | 48½ |
| Weston Elec A | 20¾ | 20¾ | 20¾ | 20¾ |

$4,500,000

**Spear & Company**

(Incorporated in the State of New Jersey)

**Seven Per Cent. Cumulative Preferred Stock**

*Preferred as to Assets and Dividends*

*Redeemable in whole or in part at $115 per share and accrued dividends, on or after three years from date of issue.*

On or before the 1st day of March, 1926, and in each year thereafter, out of the surplus and net profits, at least 3% of the largest amount in par value of the preferred stock that shall have been at any one time outstanding, shall be acquired by the Company by redemption or by purchase (at not exceeding the redemption price, if subject to redemption at that time).

*It is expected that application will be made to list both the Preferred and Common Stocks on the New York Stock Exchange.*

CAPITALIZATION

| | To be presently authorized | To be presently issued |
|---|---|---|
| Seven Per Cent. Cumulative Preferred Stock (Par Value $100 per share). Dividends payable quarterly, cumulative from March 1, 1925 | $6,000,000* | $4,500,000 |
| Seven Per Cent. Cumulative Second Preferred Stock | $1,500,000 | $1,500,000 |
| Common Stock (No Par value) | 255,000* | 225,000 shares |

* The $1,500,000 Preferred Stock not to be presently issued and the 30,000 shares of Common Stock not to be presently issued are reserved against the alternative conversion rights of the Second Preferred Stock under the Charter Provisions concerning the same.

*Information regarding this issue and the business of the Company is given in a letter from Mr. Nathaniel Spear, President of the Company, copies of which may be obtained from the undersigned and which he has summarized as follows:*

HISTORY AND BUSINESS

"The business was started in 1893, something over thirty years ago, in Pittsburgh, in a building 20 x 80 feet, with a capital of $18,000. Its record of earnings, since that time, covers a period of thirty-two years, during which term the business has made a profit in every year except 1908, the year following the panic, when a small loss was incurred.

The business of Spear & Company consists of the sale at retail of furniture, carpets, rugs, and other household goods, both through its chain of six stores in Pittsburgh and New York and through its extensive mail order department. Its business is national in scope, with customers in every State in the Union. It combines two of the most successful forms of retailing; the chain store and the mail order methods.

Today, a very large proportion of all furniture, whether sold by department stores or otherwise, is sold on a basis of time payments, on which plan our business has always been conducted. We have accordingly developed a most careful supervision of sales, credits, and methods of collection, the efficiency of which has been fully proven.

The purchase of a commodity of large unit price on a part payment basis has sound economic justification. To this the inherent security and stability of the business are largely due.

ORGANIZATION

The management of the business is in the hands of the President, Mr. Nathaniel Spear, who is assisted by two brothers and two sons and a number of executives who have grown up with the company and have been with it for a period of over twenty years.

The company has in all six large stores, with a total floor space of 475,000 square feet, in addition to which it has warehouses with a total floor space of 325,000 square feet. The main store in Pittsburgh is centrally located and is one of the largest and best equipped furniture houses in the United States. The main New York store is in the heart of the metropolitan shopping district.

The mail order business was begun in 1908, since which time it has made phenomenal strides. The company's active mailing list consists of over 1,000,000 names.

The company is a large and consistent advertiser and will continue to be so. More than $4,000,000 has been expended for advertising in the last five years.

EARNINGS

The net earnings of the company in the thirty-two years of its existence, on an original investment of $18,000 have totalled in round figures $13,350,000; the capital withdrawals and dividends to stockholders $3,250,000—leaving the present net investment of $10,100,000. Of the above sum of $13,350,000 over $9,000,000 was earned in the last nine years.

The net sales, and the net profits for the past three years, as certified by Messrs. Price, Waterhouse & Company, after adequate provision for depreciation and bad debts, and after deducting Federal Taxes at present rates, have been as follows:

| Year ending December 31 | Net Sales | Net Profits as described above after Federal Taxes at present rates |
|---|---|---|
| 1922 | $ 9,379,377.65 | $1,263,615.79 |
| 1923 | 12,627,124.59 | 1,894,945.10 |
| 1924 | 12,369,226.47 | 1,403,462.42 |

The average of such earnings as above stated for the three years was $1,520,674.43 or about 4.8 times the dividend charges on the issue of $4,500,000 Preferred Stock, and is equivalent, after deducting all preferred dividends, to $4.89 applicable to each share of the Common Stock of the Corporation to be presently issued.

ASSETS

The balance sheet of the Corporation as of December 31, 1924, as certified by Messrs. Price, Waterhouse & Company, after giving effect to the recapitalization, shows net tangible assets applicable to the $4,500,000 Preferred Stock of $10,107,648.83 or about $225 for each share of such Preferred Stock."

**We are offering the above stock for subscription, subject to allotment, when, as and if issued and accepted by us, at**

**$99.50 Per Share and Accrued Dividend**

This offering is made in all respects, when, as and if issued and accepted by us and subject to the approval of Messrs. Sullivan & Cromwell, and Messrs. Chadbourne, Stanchfield & Levy of New York for the Bankers, and Messrs. Stein & Salant of New York for the Company. We reserve the right to reject any and all subscriptions in whole or in part, to allot less than the amount applied for, and to close the subscription books at any time without notice.

It is expected that delivery of temporary stock certificates or interim receipts (exchangeable for definitive stock certificates when prepared) will be made on or about March 10 at the office of LEHMAN BROTHERS, 16 WILLIAM STREET, NEW YORK, N. Y., against payment therefor in New York funds.

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February, 1925.

The statements contained herein are not guaranteed, but are based on information which we believe to be true.

## Wall Street Gossip

**RECESSIONAL** market is expected generally to last for several days.

**BALDWIN** is on the schedule to be the next sensational upward market leader.

**VIRGINIA IRON**, coal & Coke net loss of $53,503 in 1924 compares with $2.06 a share on common earned in 1923.

**CONTINENTAL OIL** advanced tank wagon gasoline two cents a gallon in Denver territory.

**KAUFFMANN** Department Stores for 1924 reports net profit of $1,632,524 after charges, against $2,225,236 in 1923.

**CRUCIBLE STEEL** declared regular quarterly $1.75 preferred dividend, payable March 31.

**STANDARD OIL** of Kentucky declared regular quarterly dividend of $1, payable March 31.

**DENVER** & Rio Grande Western Deficit of $3,604,719 in 1924 compares with deficit of $2,854,909 in 1923.

**ASSOCIATED** Dry Goods earned $19.77 a share on common in 1924 against $11.85 a share in 1923.

## Boston Stocks

| | | Change |
|---|---|---|
| Am Brick | 10¼ | |
| Am Tel | 133¼ | + ⅜ |
| Am Wool pf | 88¾ | − ¼ |
| Amoskeag | 70½ | − ½ |
| Ariz Com | 18 | − ½ |
| Bingham M | 34¾ | − ½ |
| Boston Elev | 76½ | |
| Boston & Maine | 15⅜ | + ½ |
| Boston & Maine A | 27 | |
| Boston & Maine C | 32 | |
| Boston & Maine D | 55 | |
| Cal & Hecla | 15⅝ | — |
| Cop Range | 27 | |
| East Butte | 5¼ | + ¼ |
| Edison | 200 | − ⅛ |
| E Mass Ry | 36¼ | − 1¼ |
| E Mass adj | 45 | |
| Gen Elec spec | 11 | − ¼ |
| Gillette | 60¼ | − ¾ |
| Hardy Coal | 22 | − ⅜ |
| Island Creek | 134½ | − 1½ |
| Keweenaw | 80c | + 5c |
| Loew's Theatres | 12 | − ¼ |
| Maine Central pf | 75 | |
| Mass Gas | 74½ | + ½ |
| Mergenthaler | 171 | |
| Mex Investment | 13 | − ½ |
| Miss River Power | 39¼ | |
| Mohawk | 35¼ | − 1 |
| Nat Leather | 5½ | − ¼ |
| New Dominion | 75c | + 15c |
| N E Oil | 40c | |
| N E Tel | 103¼ | − ¼ |
| Nipissing | 6¼ | − ⅛ |
| Old Colony | 99 | |
| Olympia | 22½ | + ½ |
| Pacific Mills | 73 | − 1 |
| Quincy | 20⅛ | |
| Ray Consol | 15¼ | |
| St. Mary's | 41 | |
| Sup & Boston | 1⅝ | |
| Swift Intl | 30⅝ | − ¼ |
| United Drug 1 pf | 52 | + ⅛ |
| United Shoe | 44⅛ | |
| United Shoe pf | 26⅝ | − ¼ |
| U S Smelt | 32½ | |
| U S Smelt pf | 45¼ | − ¼ |
| Utah Apex | 6 7-16 | − 1 1-16 |
| Ventura | 23 | − ⅛ |
| Waldorf | 17 | |
| Walworth | 19½ | |
| Warren Bros | 42¾ | − ½ |
| Westinghouse | 70½ | − ⅝ |

## CANADIAN NATIONAL'S NET IS $17,244,251

Net earnings of the Canadian National Railways amounted to $17,244,251 in 1924, says announcement by Sir Henry W. Thornton, chairman and president. Although prevailing business conditions and a smaller crop reduced the gross receipts of the company by $16,547,305 as compared with 1923, economies in operating expenses were made to the extent of $14,361,907.

## New York Curb

New York Curb was irregular: Lehigh Valley Coal ctfs 43⅞, up ½; Continental Oil 26, up ⅛; Dubilier C & Radio 28½, off ¼; American Gas & Electric 82, off ½; Hazeltine Corp 23¼, up ½; Goodyear Tire & Rubber 80⅞, unchanged.

# CABLES CARRY PEAK BUSINESS

Clarence H. Mackay, president of The Mackay Companies, at the annual meeting held in Boston, said improving economic situation in Europe finds reflection in fact that in 1924 the Commercial Cable Co. handled the largest number of cable messages ever transmitted over its cables. Mr. Mackay also stated that the gross receipts of the Postal Telegraph Cable System in 1924 were the largest in the history of that company.

Mr. Mackay stated further that the new Italian Cable Co. had completed the laying of its new cable between Rome and the Azores and expected to open it for public business on or about March 15, and that it would connect at the latter place with the cables of the Postal Telegraph-Commercial Cable System as well as with those of the Western Union Telegraph Co., thus opening up the first direct cable communication ever had between the United States and Italy.

As to the proposed direct German cable between New York and Germany via the Azores, Mr. Mackay stated that after protracted negotiations landing rights at the Azores were finally secured last September, and that cable is expected to be completed and in operation by the Fall of this year.

It has been the experience of The Commercial Cable Co. that the radio is supplementing rather than supplanting the cable. A very large amount of new cable has been laid—estimated at 32,000 miles since the war—notwithstanding the rapid development of radio in the meantime.

At annual meeting of Mackay Companies John Goldhammer, vice-president of the Commercial Cable Co., was elected a trustee, succeeding Edward C. Iatt, deceased. Other trustees were re-elected.

## German Bond Prices

(Quoted by Exchange Trust Co.)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| aGerman War Loan, 1914-18 | 1750 | 1800 |
| aCity of Hamburg, 4½s 1919 | 375 | 400 |
| aCity Berlin 4s 1922 | 150 | 200 |
| aGerman Gov't 4.6s '22 forced | 23 | 28 |
| aGerman Gov't 8-15s 1923 | ⅝ | ⅞ |
| aAssociated Mortg Banks 12s | ½ | ⅞ |
| aHamburg Elevated 5s | 800 | 900 |
| bGerman Gen Elec 4½s 1919 | 4¾ | 5½ |
| bCity Berlin 4s pre war | 14¼ | 15¼ |
| bPrussian Consols 3½s pre w. | 2¾ | 3½ |
| bKrupps 5s post war | 2⅝ | 3½ |
| bCity of Dusseldorf, pre war | 14 | 16 |
| bFrankfort 4s per war | 14½ | 16½ |
| bMunich 4s per war | 18½ | 20 |
| bBadische Aniline | 29 | 31 |
| bA E Gs (German Gen Elec) | 24 | 28 |
| bHamburg-American Line | 24 | 26 |
| bNorth German Lloyd Line | 23½ | 25½ |
| bCommerz Privatebank | 15 | 16½ |
| bDeutsche Bank | 29 | 31 |
| bDisconto Gesellschaft | 41½ | 43½ |
| bDresdener Bank | 21 | 23 |
| bDarmstadter Bank | 32 | 34 |
| bMercur Bank Vienna | 1⅝ | 2 |

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On account of the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders, the transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Tuesday, March 17, 1925, and reopened at 10:00 A. M. on April 1, 1925.

H. BLAIR-SMITH, Treasurer.

# HOUSTON MADE VICE CHIEF OF TELEPHONE

David F. Houston has been made financial vice-president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. Mr. Houston, who is himself a director of that company, is also president of the Bell Telephone Securities Company, a position which he has held since its organization nearly four years ago.

After taking his first college degree Mr. Houston entered the Harvard Graduate School, specializing for three years in government economics and finance.

After lecturing on these subjects he was for some years in university administration work. For eight years he was in the Cabinet, first as Secretary of Agriculture and later as Secretary of the Treasury, being at the same time chairman of the Federal Reserve and Farm Loan Boards.

He is a member of the board and finance committee of the Prudential Life and a director in the Farmers Loan and Trust Company and the New York Telephone Company.

## QUOTATIONS ARE HIGHER FOR FUTURES IN COTTON

Quotations were higher for futures in cotton. Prices—March 24.35, up .16; May 24.66, up .10; July 24.90, up .11; October 24.75, up .10; December 24.83, up .15.

## Liberty Bond Prices

New York, Feb. 17.—Opening Liberty Bonds: 3½s, 101.20; 1st 4¼s, 101.28; second 4¼s, 101; third 4¼s, 101.15; fourth 4¼s, 101.30; new 4¼s, 104.26.

## Markets for Money

Money quotations follow:

| In New York— | Latest | Year ago |
|---|---|---|
| Time loans— | | |
| 30 to 60 days | 3½@3¾ | 4½@4¾ |
| 60 to 90 days | 3½@3¾ | 4½@4¾ |
| 4 to 6 months | 3¾@4 | 4½@4¾ |
| Commercial paper | 3½@3¾ | 4¾@5 |
| Bankers' Acceptances— | | |
| 30 to 60 days | 3 @3⅛ | 4¼@4 |
| 60 to 90 days | 3⅛@3 | 4 @4⅛ |
| 3 to 6 months | 3⅜@3 | 4¼@4 |
| 6 Months | 3⅜@3¾ | 4¼@4½ |
| In Boston— | | |
| Call money | 4% | 4½% |
| Commercial paper | 3½@4 | 4½@5¼ |
| Mill paper | 3½ | 4¾@5 |
| Customers' loans | 4 @5 | 5 @5¼ |
| Collateral loans | 4¼@4½ | 5 @5½ |
| Year money | 4½ | 5¼ |
| In London— | | |
| Call money | 2¼% | 2½% |
| Short bills | 3⅝@3 11-16 | 3 5-16@3⅜ |
| Three months bills | 3¾@3 13-16 | 3⅜@3 11-16 |

Discount rates at twelve Federal Reserve banks and representative banking institutions follow:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 3½% | Amsterdam | 4½% |
| New York | 3 | Berlin | 10 |
| Philadelphia | 3½ | [illegible]is | 5½ |
| Cleveland | 3½ | Calcutta | 7 |
| Richmond | 4 | Copenhagen | 7 |
| Atlanta | 4 | Christiania | 5 |
| Chicago | 4 | Madrid | 5 |
| St. Louis | 4 | London | 4 |
| Kansas City | 4 | Stockholm | 5½ |
| Minneapolis | 4 | Berne | 4 |
| Dallas | 4 | Paris | 6 |
| San Francisco | 3½ | Rome | 5½ |

Boston Federal Reserve Bank quotes commercial paper, 4 to 6 months, at 3½ to 3¾%.

## BANK STATEMENT

TODAY

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bos. Cl. | 90,000,000 | Bos. Bal. | 26,000,000 |
| Bos. Bal. | 26,000,000 | Bos. Cl. | 90,000,000 |
| N.Y.Cl. | 1,261,000,000 | N.Y.Bal. | 114,000,000 |
| N.Y.Bal. | 114,000,000 | N.Y.Cl. | 1,261,000,000 |

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# FINANCE

### By B. C. FORBES

Does success make for happiness?

Which class, as a whole, is happiest, the rich, the well-to-do or the so-called working class?

* * *

The usual reply is that the rich are the unhappiest and the poorer people the happiest. That is not the conclusion I have reached after many years of first-hand experience as a poor man and, later, as one reasonably well off. My experience has included, also, very intimate, and often confidential friendships with many of the richest men in America, from John D. Rockefeller down. Thus I have been able to get close to life all along the line, from poverty to millionairedom.

* * *

My belief is that, speaking broadly, the people who are well-to-do enjoy a larger measure of happiness than either those who have to struggle to make ends meet, or those who possess fortunes running into seven or eight or nine figures.

* * *

Some one aptly remarked, "Poverty is no disgrace, but it is confoundedly awkward." Is not this the naked truth? Does it not interfere with peace of mind when the wolf keeps dangerously near the door? Is it not hard to feel happy when the mind is full of doubts and misgivings as to what will happen when earning capacity dwindles and ceases? Does it not tend to cause unhappiness when one has to deny one's wife and children many or most of the desirable comforts and luxuries of life? And doesn't financial inability to extend assistance to others in need fill one with regret?

* * *

What of the very rich? Let us ask how people become very rich. Usually by one or two ways: Either by inordinate planning and toiling and sweating, or by inheriting a fortune.

My observation is that a pitiably large number of those who devote themselves body, mind and soul to moneymaking miss much of the real joy of living, many of the finer things of life, also that broad and deep human sympathy without which there cannot be the finest brand of happiness. Then, too, many of those who live for work alone sacrifice health, and, therefore happiness.

As for inherited fortunes, it would seem as if few men derive deep and satisfying joy or happiness from spending money they did not earn.

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Middle-class families, as a rule have had to exercise both diligence and intelligence in attaining their station. Also, a rational degree of thrift has been exercised. Moreover, most of those who become well-to-do started poor, and therefore know from hard experience the hardships incidental to financial worries. Having lived on a lower scale, they are able to appreciate properly the countless little comforts and pleasures which the possession of means brings within reach. It is not often that health has been sacrificed to gain this level in the social scale. Then, families in such circumstances are more likely to be able to face old age without acute worrying.

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Is such a status hard to attain in this country? Ed Howe, the veteran sage of Arkansas, thus answers this question:

"I once wrote a book called 'Success Easier than Failure.' . . . I have often illustrated my meaning with this simple illustration: A fairly industrious, honest and useful man will find life a task, and meet with many rebuffs and discouragements, but, in the end, lives an easier and more agreeable life than the idler who is always in trouble with the police, and with his neighbors, because of bad habits.

"Trouble dogs the footsteps of every man, rich or poor, and it is his first business to get rid of as much of it as possible. All I contend is that a man who lives a fairly decent life gets rid of more natural trouble than the tramp is able to do.

"A child is born into the world, and has his life to live. He can live it more agreeably in every way, and attain sufficient success, by pursuing the decent rather than the indecent course. By a successful man I do not mean a rich man, but one of the decent average, able to hold a job, or manage a business, with sufficient intelligence to insure respect. There is no doubt that such a man lives an easier and more agreeable life than the man who makes a failure because of idleness, dissipation and unfairness."

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## $1,700,000,000 IN NEW TREASURY FINANCING

Under Secretary of the Treasury Winston says the government will be called on to meet $1,700,000,000 in obligations maturing this year, but indicated there would be no departure from Treasury policy of quarter-year financing.

## GRAINS ARE LOWERED IN CHICAGO MARKET

Grains were lowered sharply in Chicago trading. Prices: Wheat—May, 181½ to 182⅛; July, 152 to ¼; September, 141 to ¼. Corn—May, 126 to ⅛; July, 127* to 128⅛ September, 127 to ½. Oats—May, 53 to ½; July, 53⅜ to ⅞.

## Points in Monday's Market

**Total sales—Jan. 1, 1925, to date—New York 60,635,400 shares. Boston, 1,303,917 shares.**

## Boston Realty Stocks

Burroughs & Co. quote Boston Realty stocks as follows:

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Albany Trust, 4% | 558 | .. |
| Andrews Real Estate Tr., $2-5% | 65 | .. |
| Barristers' Hall Trust, 6% | 60 | .. |
| Bedford Trust, 4% | 57 | .. |
| Berkeley Hotel Trust, 4% | 75 | .. |
| Board of Trade Bldg Tr., 6% | .. | 65 |
| Boston Ground Rent Tr., 6% | 108 | 112 |
| Boston Personal Prop. Tr., 7% | 115 | .. |
| Boston Real Estate Tr., 6% | 910 | .. |
| Boston Storage Warehouse Co., 7% | 120 | .. |
| Boston Wharf Co. 4s, '31, 4% | 890 | .. |
| do stock, 6% | 712 | .. |
| Bromfield Building Tr., 4% | 65 | .. |
| Business Real Es. Tr. 7s, '31, 7% | .. | 102 |
| do stock | 26 | .. |
| Chicago Real Est. Trustees, 6% | 1000 | .. |
| City Associates, 6% | 490 | .. |
| City R. Est. Trustee, Chicago, 6% | 500 | .. |
| Congress St. Associates, 5% | .. | 65 |
| Copley Sq. Trust 4½s, '41, 4½% | 886 | .. |
| do pfd., 5% | 77 | .. |
| do com, 3% | 37 | .. |
| Devonshire Bldg. Tr., pfd, com, 5% | 58 | .. |
| Dwelling House Associates, 3½% | .. | .. |
| Eastern Sts. R. R. Tr. 5s, 6% | 930 | .. |
| do stock, 5% | .. | .. |
| Essex St. Trust, 6% | .. | 70 |
| Factory Bldg. Trust, 7% | 85 | .. |
| Fifty Associates, $180 | 3400 | .. |
| Hotel Tr. (Touraine), 5% | 130 | .. |
| Huntington Chambers Tr., 6% | 75 | .. |
| Kimball Bldg Trust, 7% | 75 | .. |
| Lovejoy's Wharf Trust, 6% | .. | .. |
| Municipal Real Est. Trust, 6% | 108 | .. |
| Old South Bldg Asso., 8% | 66 | .. |
| Oliver Bldg. Trust, 8% | 65 | .. |
| Paddock Bldg. Trust, 6% | 90 | .. |
| Pemberton Bldg. Trust, 5% | 48 | .. |
| Postoffice Sq. Bldg. Trust, 6% | 65 | .. |
| Quincy Mkt. Realty Co. 5s, '64, 5% | 600 | .. |
| Real Estate Associates, 4½ | 67 | .. |
| Somerset Hotel Trust, 7% | 87 | .. |
| South Street Trust, 6% | 82 | 87 |
| South Terminal Trust, 6% | .. | 66 |
| State St. Exchange, 4% | 46 | 51 |
| Suffolk Real Est. Trust, 4% | .. | 530 |
| Summer St. Trust, 5% | 72 | .. |
| Terminal Hotel Tr. pf, 4% | 61 | .. |
| do com, 8% | 33 | .. |
| Tremont Bldg Trust, 5% | 65 | .. |
| Trimountain Trust, 4½% | 79 | .. |
| Washington Bldg. Trust, 6% | 80 | .. |

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## MIRROR OF BIG MARKETS

| | Feb. 16 | Feb. 14 | Week ago. | Month ago. | Year ago. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sales, Stocks | 2,240,000 | 791,800 | 1,536,300 | 1,785,200 | 1,938,600 |
| Sales, Bonds (add 000) | $18,438 | 8,116 | 15,498 | 15,897 | 10,888 |
| Average 20 Rail Stocks | 97.[illegible] | 98.88 | 100.10 | 98.41 | 81.00 |
| Average, 20 Industrials | 117.96 | 120.86 | 122.87 | 121.71 | 98.06 |
| Corn | $1.27⅝ | 1.28½ | [illegible] | 1.33⅞ | 1.00 |
| Wheat, Chicago | $1.84⅝ | 1.86¼ | 1.90⅝ | 1.85¼ | 1.10⅝ |
| Sugar | 2.81c | 2.81 | [illegible] | 2.87 | 5.54 |
| Cotton, March | 24.19c | 24.23 | 24.15 | 23.53 | 30.87 |
| Copper, per lb. | 14.875c | 14.875 | 15.00 | 15.125 | 13.125 |
| Steel Billets, per ton | $37.00 | 37.00 | 37.00 | 37.00 | 40.00 |
| Sterling (par $4.86) | $4.77⅝ | 4.77 | 4.78 | 4.77½ | 4.28½ |
| Francs (par 19.3c) | 5.25c | 5.12⅝ | 5.27¼ | 5.39¼ | 5.37¼ |
| Lire (par 19.3c) | 4.12c | 4.10 | 4.14 | 4.12½ | 4.34 |
| Marks | 23.80c | 23.80 | 23.80 | 23.80 | .... |
| Call Money | 3½-4% | .... | 3½-4½ | 3¾ | 4¼-4½ |
| Time Money | 3¾-4% | .... | 3½-4 | 3¾-4 | 4½-4¾ |
| Irving Fisher's Commodity Price Index.. | Saturday [illegible] | Jan. '25 161.9 | Feb. '24 153.1 | May '20 247 | 1913 100 |

| The 10 Leaders | | Feb. 16 Close. | Change. | Month ago. | Year ago. | Earns per Sh. | Div. | About |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| U. S. Steel | 137,600 | 122⅝ | —2¼ | 123⅝ | 104⅞ | a$11.76 | *$8.00 | 4.07% |
| American Can | 65,500 | 163 | —7⅝ | 161 | 115⅛ | a$20.50 | $5.00 | 2.97% |
| Pan-Am. Pet. B. | 63,700 | 70 | —3⅝ | 65½ | 48⅝ | b $2.96 | $4.00 | 5.91% |
| Pacific Oil | 50,300 | 59½ | —2⅛ | 55½ | 51 | c $2.42 | $2.00 | 3.36% |
| Gen. Motors | 46,400 | 74⅜ | —2½ | 72⅜ | [illegible] | c $6.13 | $5.00 | 6.73% |
| General Pet. | 37,300 | 51⅛ | —3⅝ | 42⅝ | .... | d28.7% | $2.00 | 3.91% |
| Shell Un. Oil | 36,500 | [illegible] | —1⅝ | 25⅝ | 18⅝ | e $1.16 | $1.00 | 3.94% |
| Mo., Kan., Tex. | 34,300 | [illegible] | — ⅞ | 29 | 11⅝ | e $1.16 | .... | ..... |
| Marland Oil | 33,600 | 49 | —1⅛ | 42⅝ | 27⅜ | b $3.15 | .... | ..... |
| New Haven | 31,600 | 30½ | — ⅛ | 30⅛ | 19⅝ | f $1.08 | .... | ..... |

a—1924. b—First six months 1924. c—First nine months 1924. d—Year ended June 30, 1924. e—1923. f—Three months ended Dec. 31, 1924.
*Based on $7 dividend (including $3 extra), Steel common yields 5.76%.

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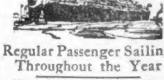

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## Deaths

ANTHONY—In this city, Nellie K., wife of [illegible] Anthony.
Funeral from her late home, 172 West Newton st., Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 8 a. m. High mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross at 9 o'clock. Late member of St. Patrick's Court, No. 7, M. C. O. F.

BULGER—In South Boston, Feb. 16, Mary F. O'Leary, wife of Dr. Edward V. Bulger.
Funeral from her late home, 513 East Broadway, Thursday, Feb. 19, at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to late home and to solemn funeral high mass of requiem at the Gate of Heaven Church at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

CANNON—In Roxbury, Feb. 16, William, beloved husband of Mary Cannon (nee Waldron).
Funeral from his late residence, 132 Marcella st., Thursday, Feb. 19, at 8 a. m. Solemn high mass at 9 o'clock at All Saints' Church. Relatives and friends kindly invited to be present.

DONOVAN—In South Boston, Feb. 16, Patrick J., son of the late Michael J. and Julia (Welch) Donovan.
Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Annie M. Speidell, 699 East Seventh st., Thursday, Feb. 19, at 8 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Eulalia's Church at 9 o'clock. Late resident of Dorchester. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

FINERIAN—In Roxbury, Feb. 15, Bridget (nee Farrell), beloved wife of the late Michael Finerian, formerly of 19 Conant st.
Funeral from the residence of Edward J. Reddish, 1297 Tremont st., Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 8 a. m. High mass of requiem at the Mission Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are requested to attend.

GALLAHUE—In South Boston, Feb. 15, Michael J., husband of Annie J. Riley Gallahue.
Funeral from his late home, 354 K st., Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 9 o'clock. Solemn funeral high mass at the Gate of Heaven Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

HENNESSY—In Dorchester, Feb. 15, Irving J., son of the late William S. and Hannah M. Hennessy, and brother of William S. and Charles F. Hennessy.
Funeral from his late residence, 23 Dix st., Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 8:30 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Mark's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

NORTON—Suddenly, at Onset, Mass., Feb. 15, Mary A. (nee Lane), widow of the late Francis A. Norton, and daughter of the late Julia and Cornelius Lane.
Funeral from family residence, 104 Roxbury st., Roxbury, Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 8:15 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Joseph's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

RILEY—In Roxbury, Feb. 16, Cornelius J., beloved husband of the late Annie Riley (nee Britcher).
Funeral from his late home, 1460 Tremont st., Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 9 a. m. Solemn high mass at the Mission Church at 9:45 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. Please omit flowers.

MERRILL—In Melrose, Feb. 16, Catherine P., 83rd year.
Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 516 Lebanon st., Melrose, Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 1:30 p. m. Please omit flowers.

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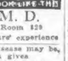

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# U.S. Well Out of Opium Snarl

We Should Not March Along in Any International Whitewashers' Procession

**There is a question whether it would not be better, both from the standpoint of national self-respect and the real strategy of the case, for the United States to wash its hands entirely of the matter of suppressing the opium trade, at least for the present.**

**We are now invited to participate in an international subterfuge which would save Great Britain, France, Holland, Portugal and some others from appearing before the world in their naked guilt.**

**Led by Great Britain, this group of nations killed the American plan to suppress the opium curse, but now they ask us to help them adjust a disguise in which they hope to escape the condemnation of civilization.**

**Nothing ever is gained by participating in a fraud, whether that fraud be individual or national, and whether that participation consist of spoken falsehood or mere acquiescence.**

**Great Britain refused to stop exporting dope from India into China because it was a source of vast profit, just as it has been ever since Great Britain knocked China down and forced opium upon her!**

**To go along with Great Britain and her co-defendants now on any international slumming party would have only one result—to save such government from possible condemnation at the hands of the world and at the hands of their own people.**

**The British government will never take a step to end the opium curse until it has to take that step, and the only power that can force it is the British people.**

**If we are to expend any more energy toward ridding the world of opium, let us informally address those energies to the conscience of the British people.**

**The British people have made their government obey on many historic occasions—even in time of war—and they might do so in the opium matter.**

**Governments, as a rule, are destitute of conscience; they are business institutions, pure and simple.**

**Whatever we do, let us not march along in any international whitewashers' procession!**

# Brown's President Is Ordered South

Dr. Faunce's Good Health the Concern of All New England

**Not only the distinguished invalid himself but all New England is to be congratulated upon the yielding of President Faunce of Brown University to a warning from his physician and the accompanying order to spend the next two months in the South.**

**When he came to Providence, twenty-six years ago, from the Fifth Avenue Church, Dr. Faunce was in his fortieth year. He has given some of the best years of his life to the historic institution at the top of College Street.**

**Brown University dates back to 1764. During the Revolution its University Hall was used by Americans and French as hospital and barracks. The university had 136 years of service behind it before the young Dr. Faunce, native of Worcester, came from New York to take control, but few will dispute the statement that the FAUNCE years have been Brown's BEST years.**

**May there be many more of them!**

# Help Our Neighbors First

We Should Lend Our Money to Those Whose Future Interests Run With Ours

**In making foreign loans the United States should always consider not only the immediate financial side of it, but the future welfare of the country.**

**Our foreign loans should bring us not only interest, but increased moral power, increased friendship, and for this purpose we should lend our money to those whose future interests run along with ours.**

**In the light of true statesmanship, foreign loans are made not only from the viewpoint of the ledger, but from the viewpoint of far-reaching international strategy.**

**As between lending money to a friend or a rival, or even between lending it to a friend or a stranger, the plain man does not hesitate. He lends it to the friend.**

**The United States should do the same.**

**Every single development in the Western Hemisphere is to a degree beneficial to this country.**

**In the larger sense the interests of this hemisphere are identical. Destiny has tied us together, and we could not become indifferent to each other's welfare, even if we so desired.**

**So every dollar the United States loans to Western Hemisphere countries is a family loan.**

**During 1924 this country's foreign loans aggregated one billion, two hundred and nine million dollars,** *but only one hundred and seventy million of this was loaned in this hemisphere.*

**We loaned to Japan within twenty million dollars as much as we loaned altogether in the Western Hemisphere.**

**We have loaned to Cuba, to Canada and to the Argentine, and the time has come when we should loan to Mexico.**

**She is our neighbor. We are going to associate with her for a long time. We are going to play it out, side by side, for centuries—we hope—and now when she needs money badly to build the lasting foundations of constructive progress, we should help her.**

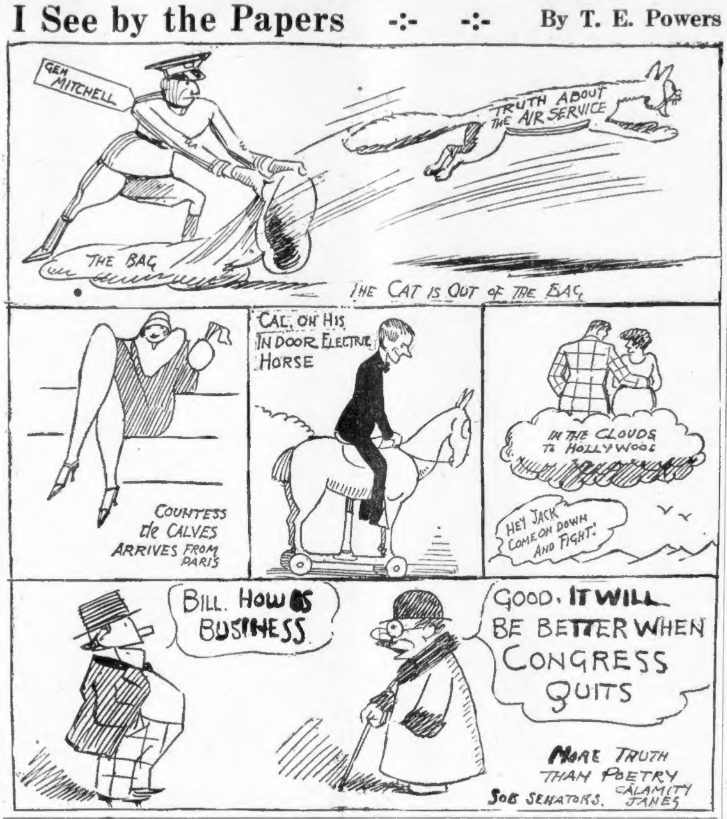
**Mexico has a great leader in President Calles. He is as hard headed as any national leader in the world. He means business—not politics.**

**He declares that Mexico must save every cent she can, live not only within her means, but enough more than within [illegible] means to pay her debts—and to begin paying them now!**

**Dollars loaned for national development are the greatest possible missionaries of friendship between honorable nations.**

**Let us lend to the Western Hemisphere, but let us be careful and discriminating in making large loans to other hemispheres; let us have a Monroe Doctrine of finance.**

# I See by the Papers -:- -:- By T. E. Powers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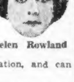
# MRS. SOLOMON SAYS—

*By HELEN ROWLAND*

WHEN, O thou Simple One, wilt thou cease striving to UPLIFT a man's ideals, and be content to live DOWN to them?

For, peradventure, it is admirable to be "superior;" but it is more comfortable to be loved.

Then go to the looking glass, thou Idealist, which reflecteth a man in all his glory, flattereth him always, and containeth nothing save his own image.



**Helen Rowland**

Go to the moon, which beameth tenderly upon him, arouseth his imagination, and can never be reached.

Go to the sofa-cushion, which adorneth his house, receiveth his confidences, soótheth his headaches and keepeth its own secrets.

Go to the hot-water bag, which comforth him in time of pain, cureth his sufferings, yet doth not follow him about with questions, nor ask how MUCH he loveth it.

Go to the radio, which amuseth him according to his moods, delighteth him with its singing, and may be SILENCED at his will.

Go to the briar pipe, which calmeth his nerves, inspireth him to sweet dreams, accompanieth him without question, and may be left at HOME when he seeketh adventure.

Go to the kitten, which accepteth his caresses with purrings and playfulness, but seeketh to be brilliant and original!

For unto any man a little surface tenderness is more acceptable than much deep devotion, and a warm smile more comforting than flaming emotions.

And his Ideal Woman, today, yesterday and forever, is that one which delighteth his eyes, sootheth his spirit, and causeth him the least mental effort.

When, then I thou Simple One wilt thou cease to yearn after Companionship, and become content with petting—and boredom?

For, a woman's mind is a plant which groweth and flowereth; but a man's mind is a geological formation, and Heaven alone can CHANGE it!

SELAH.

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# THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

OH, it is good to grace the way with joyous song, to fill the hours with work and play the whole day long, to sip the cup of life's rich wine and gladly drain a nectar that is half divine, love's bliss and pain. Good, too, to build in fair design for years unborn, to plan for one beloved a shrine as fair as morn. But, when the hours of sun and song have slipped away, when purple shadows lie along the wake of day, then comes a joy unlike the rest to which man clings, when over plain and mountain crest sweep night's dark wings. The wind breathes gently then of peace, abiding, deep, and from day's cares man finds release in care-free sleep. Oh, it is good through day's bright hours to sow, to reap; but best, night brings the poppy-flowers of dreamless sleep.

# LETTER TO THE EDITOR

## About Clams

Editor Boston American:

I see from time to time where professors and chemists claim that clams cause typhoid fever. I do not agree with them and no other clam digger who has any brains will. I have dug clams off and on all my life and am in the business today.

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If an inspector is appointed a man from the clamdiggers' ranks should be chosen, some strong minded, fair and square person to use all alike and not some one who has been a dry goods clerk or a street car conductor all his life simply because he has a pull.

BERT SAUNDERS,
Gloucester.

# THE HELPING HAND

Letters Not Answered Personally. No Attention Paid to Telephone Calls or Anonymous Letters. No Names Published.

## Enough for Food and Rent

Helping Hand Editor:

My husband has been out of work for a long time and is now working occasionally, which brings in just enough to buy food and pay rent. We have three children, girls nine and two and boy four, and I am expecting another arrival in April. I would be very glad to receive clothing for the children and the newcomer. Can make over. W. W.

## No Chair To Sit On

Helping Hand Editor:

I hope some of your kind readers will help a poor little woman with three children, two boys, six and two, and one girl, eight. Her husband deserted her when her baby was only ten months old. She gets a little help from the city and the State pays her rent, but outside of that she has nothing. She hasn't a chair to sit on. The children sit on boxes. One bed does for the four of them. Some of your kind readers could go and see for themselves. She surely needs help if anyone does. Although poor she is very neat and clean. She takes size 38 or 40 and 5 shoe. MRS. C. E.

## Sickness Took Every Cent

Helping Hand Editor:

I am the mother of five small children. My baby and husband were sick with scarlet fever this Winter and it took every cent we had. My rent, $10, is past due, and my landlord says I must pay by the 27th or get out. I would be grateful for anything at all. My husband has tried to get work, but it seems impossible and he is very much discouraged, for he is a good father and husband.

MRS. M. P.

## Other Needy Ones

Gracie A., aged sixteen, who must help support the family and has nothing left for clothes, would like a coat and some bloomers.

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Mrs. Edna C., widow with four children, girls thirteen and eleven, boys, nine and one, would appreciate any kind of clothing for them.

Chas. M. needs suit, 36, shoes 7 or 7½, wife clothing, size 34 or 36, shoes 5, and boy, 3. All need underwear badly.

# WORDS OF THE WISE MEN

Good actions crown themselves with lasting bays
Who deserves well, needs not another's praise.—Heath.

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Be what you seem to be.

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Grief decreases where it has nothing by which it can increase.

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The blessing of an active mind, when it is in good condition, is, that it not only employs itself, but is almost sure to be the means of giving wholesale employment of others.

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Memory is the cabinet of imagination, the treasury of reason, the registry of conscience, and the council-chamber of thought.

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Preserving mediocrity is much more respectable, and unspeakably more useful, than talented inconstancy.

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Every man, however humble his station or feeble his powers, exercises some influence on those who are about his for good or evil.

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There is not a moment without some duty.

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He surely is in want of another's patience who has none of his own.

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The boundary of man is moderation. When once we pass that pale, our guardian angel quits his charge of us.

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He to whom more is allowed than is reasonable desires more than is allowable.

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A wise man should have money in his head but not in his heart.

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He that never changed any of his opinions never corrected any of his mistakes.

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The worst of slaves is he who passion rules.

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There are three classes of men: the retrograde, the stationary, and the progressive.

# LIKE A BLIND MAN WITH A GUN

By DR. FRANK CRANE

SINCERITY and devotion to a single aim are good. But when these are accompanied by ignorance it is like a blind man with a gun.

It is well to be earnest, and you cannot accomplish much unless you are wholly devoted to some principle, but if you are ignorant at the same time you are a blind man with a gun.

Mr. Bryan is doubtless sincere in his opposition to evolution.

It is well for a man to say as William Lloyd Garrison, "I must and will be heard." But he is of value only when he stands for the truth.

Doubtless many in Russia are in earnest. Doubtless the Bolsheviks, Communists and anarchists, many of them, are sincere. They are blind men with a gun.

The purpose of education and learning what the past has to say to us is largely to remove the blindfold from our eyes.

Anyone can be in earnest, but it takes time and patience to become informed. Earnestness is only good when it is added to knowledge.

Those who can see, that is those who are informed and in possession of the truth, should be armed to protect themselves and the innocent bystanders against the shooting that often takes place among the uninformed.

Intelligence persists. Truth is mighty and will prevail. Wrong fails eventually.

But all this does not prevent that which is evil from doing much harm when it is in possession of the means of force.

The hordes of Germans and Austrians were doubtless very sincere in the late war, but they were not informed.

It is not man's first duty to be honest and candid. It is his first duty to inform himself. Honesty and candor are of no value in an ignorant man.

No man has been able to calculate the damage that is done by ignorance. It has destroyed the lives of thousands, it has encouraged pests, it has been fatal to nations.

The time was when people used to gather in the churches and pray against the advance of a pestilence. Nowadays they use carbolic acid. One is earnestness without information and the other is based upon actual knowledge.

It makes no difference what a fine and noble character the captain of a ship may have unless he is master of the art of navigation. It makes no matter how grand and noble a general may be if he does not understand the art of war.

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# THE SEEMING TIDAL MYSTERY

**By Garrett P. Serviss**

**Noted Astronomer and Writer on Scientific Topics of Popular Interest.**

"I understand that the mathematical formula for predicting the tides is all right and answers all practical purposes. But my father says that the prevailing theory of the tides (ascribing their movements to the 'attraction' of the moon and sun, etc.) hasn't a leg to stand on. Could you devote one of your delightful articles to the theory of the tides?
"Miss M. V., New York."

I THINK that the theory of the tides ascribing their existence to to the gravitational attractions of the sun and moon has all the legs it needs to stand firm, but it has to travel a very complicated road.

Without any regard to the problem of its inherent nature, gravitation very satisfactorily accounts for the existence of the tides. This is easily illustrated, although for its comprehension certain simple principles of physics must be understood.

For simplicity's sake, but without altering the essentials of the problem, we show the earth enveloped in an unbroken shell of ocean water. We also consider only the effect of the moon's attraction, although the sun has a similar, though smaller, effect in producing tides.

Two facts must be considered to begin with: 1st the moon pulls upon the solid globe of the earth, just as if its whole force were concentrated at the earth's centre, and the solid globe obeys the attraction like a single inseparable body.

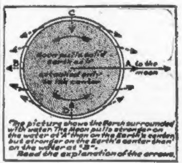
Second, because the water is a liquid, whose particles are free to respond independently to the attraction the water at A (nearest to the moon) tends to be drawn away from the solid globe; while the water at B (farthest from the moon), also tends to separate from the solid globe, but in this case it is the globe (its center, where the action takes place, being nearer the moon than B), that is drawn from the water.

There is no obscurity or uncertainty about these physical principles. Now, let us see about their consequences. These are indicated by the arrows in the picture. The long, solid arrow shows the direction of the moon's pull, acting upon the center and affecting the globe as a whole; the short dotted arrows show how the water yields, independently of the solid core, to the forces acting upon it.

At A, where the moon's attraction upon the water is greater than upon the earth's centre, there is a lifting force on the water; at B, where the moon's attraction on the water is less than on the centre, there is a force acting to draw the whole globe away from the water.

The effects in the two cases are shown by the dotted arrows, on the opposite sides of the earth, lying in the line of the moon's attraction. This is the germ of the explanation of the existence of two simultaneous tides on opposite sides of the earth.

Now look at the points C and D. There the arrows show that the moon's force acts to draw the water, not toward the moon, nor away from the moon, but downward toward the earth's centre.



*The picture shows the Earth surrounded with water. The Moon pulls stronger on the water at "A" than on the Earth's center but stronger on the Earth's center than on the water at "B". Read the explanation of the arrows.*

I have not space to discuss this, but it is in accord with the principle of the composition of forces. At intermediate points between A, C, B and D, the arrows show the various directions in which the moon's attraction urges the water.

All told, there is a tendency for the water to flow toward A or B, according to whether it is on the side nearest to, or on that farthest from, the moon.

If the earth did not rotate the tides would be high right under, and right opposite, to the moon, as shown in the picture. But the earth does rotate, and so the tides are carried, by the effect of inertia, out of line with the moon. In fact high tide never really occurs under the moon.

This is the gist of the astronomical theory of the tides. There is no space to tell why what is so simple in principle becomes so complex in practice.

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## AFTERTHOUGHTS MAY POINT THE WAY TO SUCCESS

After your day's work is done do you go over it in your mind and pick flaws and find the weaknesses in it wherever possible?

If you followed this course for a while, you would be convinced that you could save yourself much needless and fruitless effort by doing a certain amount of retrospection with greater perfection in view.

Sometimes you wonder why some men seem so interested in their work and why they are so particular in the little things about it.

Thinking a little farther, you can see that these men are making a success where some others fail in the same line.

To throw off all sense of responsibility and thought of your work as soon as you close the door of your business behind you is bound to result in little progress.

Little things do amount to a great deal in the conduct of any business and you should take a little time after the day to think of it.

"What's-the-difference?" attitude is the death knell of success.

Big things may be paramount, but it is the little things which go to make up the big ones, so watch your step in the little things.

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